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WHITAKER, KILLED BY AUTO, HIT TWICE, WITNESS ASSERTS

C. M. Barnard, Mechanical Engineer, Says First Impact Knocked Man 45 Feet.

RUN OVER SECOND TIME

Alleges Youth Driving Machine Had Been Racing and Was Going 30 Miles an Hour.

Charles M. Barnard, 8374 Maple avenue, a mechanical engineer, who witnessed the killing yesterday by an automobile near Jefferson Memorial, in Forest Park or Alphonse Travis Whitaker, 45 years old, of 6042 Waterman avenue, credit manager for George D. Barnard & Co., today gave to a Post-Dispatch reporter a detailed account of the accident.

Barnard had watched the car that killed Whitaker for several seconds before it struck him and said he felt sure at the time a casualty was to occur. He will repeat his account of the circumstances surrounding the tragedy to the Coroner.

Whitaker was killed as he was about to cross Government Drive with two companions who had accompanied him from the Municipal golf links. He was struck by a car driven by Joseph Campbell, 17 years old, of 511A North Vandeventer avenue. He was taken in the Campbell machine to Barnes Hospital, and died about forty minutes later, shortly before his wife arrived at the hospital. Campbell drove from the hospital to the police station and gave himself up. He was held for the Coroner.

Story as Told by Witness.
"I came out of the south central doorway of Jefferson Memorial Building about 12:30 o'clock," Barnard said. "My wife and I had driven to the park in our car and I had gone into the building to look at the historical exhibits, while my wife drove about the park.

"As I stepped out I noticed two automobiles approaching at excessive speed. They appeared to be racing. One, a large touring car (Gilde) had just passed a point where the road branched and turned off. Then the driver of the Gilde car turned to address his companions sitting in the tonneau. He seemed to be exultant over the abandonment of the race by the other car.

"By this time the big car had reached the little walk from the golf links. Three men were there and a shout of 'Look out' was called. Two of the men jumped across the roadway, but the third man stepped back. At this time the Gilde car seemed to swerve right toward the man who started back, and the machine struck him and knocked him 45 feet.

"I knew the distance because I measured it."

"The Gilde car then turned around, the car struck him again, doubling him up under the front axle, twisting him around under the rear left wheel, which passed over him. The car proceeded about 40 feet further before coming to a stop.

"I judge the car was running 30 miles an hour. From the time the driver should have seen the men, and I think he saw them when he was 25 feet away from them, to the time he stopped, the car traveled 100 feet. A car should be stopped in two and one-half feet for every mile it is running, so that a car running 30 miles an hour should be stopped within 50 feet if the mechanism is in good order.

The car, evidently, was being run by an inexperienced driver, in my opinion. He apparently was only 17 or 18 years old. One of the drivers, a companion whom I believe was a police man to arrest, told us the car was the property of a saloon keeper and that it was purchased only four or five days before."

Barnard has no connection with the George D. Barnard Co., for whom Whitaker worked.

Campbell, in a statement to the police, declared he was driving slowly at the time Whitaker was struck. Youths who were with Campbell said Whitaker turned back after starting over the roadway.

PRESIDENT SAYS FOES OF FOOD BILL ENDANGER SELVES

Warns Them That They Must Be Prepared to Bear Responsibility for Own Defeat.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—President Wilson today in a letter to Representative Borland concerning the administration food bill warned opponents of the measure that they must be prepared to bear the responsibility for their defeat if they accomplish it.

"A certain disservice has been done the measure by speaking of it as the food control bill," wrote the President.

"The object of the measure is not to control the food of the country, but to make it free from the control of speculators and other persons who will seek to make enormous profits out of it and to protect the people against the extortions which would result."

"It seems to me that those who oppose the measure ought very seriously to consider whether they are not playing into the hands of such persons and whether they are not making themselves responsible should they succeed, for the extraordinary and oppressive prices of food in the United States. Foodstuffs will, of course, inevitably be high, but it is possible by perfectly legitimate means to keep them from being unreasonably and oppressively high."

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FIRST DRAFT ARMY NOT LIKELY TO BE IN TRAINING BY SEPT. 1

Construction of Sixteen Cantonments May Delay Assembling of Men Until October.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Unless there are unforeseen developments to hurry construction of the 16 cantonments for training the new national army, the first increment of 650,000 troops will not be in training by Sept. 1, as generally has been supposed and in fact, may not get into training for six weeks thereafter.

War Department officials generally had fixed Sept. 1 in their minds as the time training would begin. The first body of officers for the new army now being trained in camps throughout the country is to be turned out in August to make room for the next body. This was arranged on the plan of having the draft complete, exemptions disposed of and troops ordered into training camps by Sept. 1.

RICH RUSSIAN COUNTESS IS FIRST WOMAN MINISTER

Beijing Administration of Charitable and Social Institutions and Care of Children.

PETROGRAD, June 18.—In a woman's blouse and leather skirt, Countess Sophie Panin has taken up a post of Minister of Social Tutelage, a department of state with the function of administering the charitable and social institutions and also the care of children.

Countess is the world's first woman Minister. She is 45 years of age and very wealthy. She resides in a palace which she transforms into a people's house, accommodating of recreation place and popular university.

In a statement to the Associated Press she declared that her staff of officials will consist for the most part of women. She hopes that her appointment will be the signal for the transfer of social institutions in other countries into the hands of women.

CATHEDRAL OF RHEIMS TO BE PANtheon FOR ALLIED DEAD

Decision Reached to Make No Effort to Restore Famous Structure, Damaged by War.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Conversion, as soon as the war is over, of the battle-torn cathedral at Rheims into a pantheon for the unknown dead of all the armies fighting in France for the common cause of democracy has been determined upon by the French Government.

It is proposed that instead of trying to restore the cathedral that represents all of the allies place their battle flags within what remains of the historic edifice, which shall be formally dedicated as a monument to the heroic dead.

The plan is to secure subscriptions of \$200, \$100, \$50, \$30 and \$10 per month, for a period of one year, to insure a working sum sufficiently large to meet the demands for relief resulting from the world war.

REGISTRATION NOW 9,611,811

Returns Complete Except for Wyoming and Kentucky.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Almost complete returns on the registrations under the selective draft law received at the Provost Marshal General's office today totalled \$61,811.

Wyoming, in which the districts are widely scattered, was the only State from which returns have been received. Seven counties are missing from the Kentucky hill country, where communications are slow.

PORTUGUESE ON FIRING LINE

Troops Receive Their Baptism on Western Front.

PARIS, June 18.—The Portuguese forces on the western front, having been initiated into the art of modern warfare by progressive stages, now have received their baptism of fire.

The Matin says that today they are perfectly organized and have proved their worth in exemplary fashion.

Another Big Flood

rushes down the Mississippi—the "June Rise," as termed by river men.

The St. Louis Sunday Post-Dispatch always has a flood of advertising, not only in June, but every month in the year.

An overwhelming, irresistible volume pours through its channels with copious streams of results year in and year out.

Yesterday (Sunday) this flood, swelled by thousands upon thousands of POST-DISPATCH advertising tributes swept all competition completely "off its feet," as the following figures prove:

The Count for Sunday, June 17:

Total Paid Advertising—
POST-DISPATCH alone 354 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 307 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone exceeded both 47 Cols.

Home-Merchants' Advertising—
POST-DISPATCH alone 158 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 128 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone exceeded both 30 Cols.

National Advertising—
POST-DISPATCH alone 66 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 68 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH lacked but 2 columns of equaling both.

Real Estate and Wants—
POST-DISPATCH alone 130 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic combined 111 Cols.

POST-DISPATCH alone exceeded both 19 Cols.

Cast your advertising "bread upon the waters" through the columns of the POST-DISPATCH. It will "return to you" and it will not take "many days," for profitable results always quickly follow.

WHY?

QUANTITY—CIRCULATION—QUALITY

92% weekday in St. Louis and

Average for the first Five Months, 1917:

Sunday, 363,617 | Daily and Sunday, 197,656

"First in Everything."

RED CROSS WILL OPEN CAMPAIGN AT DINNER TONIGHT

Large Donors to \$1,500,000 Fund to Be Raised This Week Will Be Announced.

SOLICITORS GET ORDERS

Archbishop, Festus Wade and W. C. D'Arcy Will Be Principal Speakers.

He Writes That He Believes Country Is Full of Mothers of Same Heroic Sort.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—President Wilson today received a letter from Mrs. Louis Meyer of Wheeling, W. Va., who in a patriotic speech to the President informed him that she had already given two sons to the army and was ready to give her third if necessary.

The President wrote:

"Your feeling about your sons is the feeling which I should think every mother in whom the true spirit of motherhood and of Americanism dwells would have, and I like to believe that it is true that the country is full of mothers who are as heroic as she is in the spirit of self-sacrifice.

Oscar M. Miller, chairman of the Publicity Committee of the Red Cross Week campaign in St. Louis Club, when the campaign will be launched at a dinner, Meanwhile, in every community in the country, similar plans are being carried out in an effort to raise \$100,000,000 in all during the week.

S. H. Clark, associate professor of public speaking of Chicago University, has been assigned as the speaker of the evening. He will outline the campaign. A. L. Shapleigh, who as "Captain-General" is directing the local campaign, will give final instructions to 20 captains, 24 lieutenants and their teams.

Archbishop Glennon will pronounce the invocation at the dinner. Other speakers will be Festus Wade and W. C. D'Arcy, chairman of the Publicity Committee for the Red Cross Week campaign in St. Louis.

There will be a large luncheon meeting at 1 p.m. at the Mercantile Club for the captains, lieutenants and team workers, when the reports of the various teams will be made. Each team will be supplied with an expert cashier, who will daily give the total of subscriptions secured by the team.

The plan is to secure subscriptions of \$200, \$100, \$50, \$30 and \$10 per month, for a period of one year, to insure a working sum sufficiently large to meet the demands for relief resulting from the world war.

BRITISH AIR FLEET TO TAKE STEPS "FOR-DAMAGING ENEMY"

Borar Law Se Declares in Reply to Question Whether Reprisals Against Germans Are Intended.

LONDON, June 18.—Replying to a series of questions in the House of Commons this afternoon as to whether the British Government had decided upon reprisals for the German air raids on England, Andrew Bonar Law, member of the British War Council, said the Government intended to take steps not only for damaging the enemy but for preventing the Germans from raiding again.

Law was a militia, Bonar Law said, to assure that air raiding was justified by the enemy. The British air force in France had raided German communications and all important military objectives behind the lines which were of sufficient importance to justify such enterprises.

JAPANESE WARSHIPS BELIEVED TO HAVE SUNK A SUBMARINE

Floella in Mediterranean Attacked by Submarine.

LONDON, June 18.—An official statement issued today by the British admiralty says that a Teuton submarine has probably been sunk by Japanese warships in the Mediterranean.

The statement follows:

"The Japanese naval attaché communicates that one of the Japanese flotillas in the Mediterranean on the evening of June 12, encountered an enemy submarine and immediately attacked it, with it is believed, good success and probably sank it."

ROACH, GALEENER AND PLAYER ON STATE TAX COMMISSION

First Gets Six-Year Term, Sikeston Member 4 Years, and St. Louis 2 years.

JEFFERSON CITY, June 18.—Gov. Gardner today commissioned Cornelius Roach, chairman of the new Tax Commission, to serve six years, J. H. Galeener of Sikeston, a member, for a four-year term, and James Y. Player, of St. Louis, for the two-year term.

PROBABLY CLOUDY AND COOLER TONIGHT; TOMORROW FAIR

THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a.m. 68 a.m. 60
Official Forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Partly cloudy to-night, probably with thunderstorms; tomorrow fair and cooler; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest, shifting northwest winds.

Missouri—Partly cloudy in west portions, probably with thunderstorms in east portions this afternoon or tonight; cooler to-morrow; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest, shifting northwest winds.

Illinois—Increasing cloudiness, probably with local thunderstorms this afternoon or tonight; cooler to-morrow; generally fair and cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Michigan—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Wisconsin—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Minnesota—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

North Dakota—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

South Dakota—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Wyoming—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Colorado—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

New Mexico—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Arizona—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Utah—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Nevada—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

California—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Oregon—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Washington—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Alaska—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Hawaii—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Florida—Cloudy to-morrow; Wednesday fair, generally cool; Wednesday fair, fresh southwest shifting northwest winds.

Texas—

Women Asked to Enroll in Food Saving Army

457 BRITISH SHIPS SUNK BY U-BOATS SINCE FEB. 1

More Than 150 Fishing Boats Lost, in Addition; 298 Ships Unsusceptably Attacked.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—The German submarine toll of British merchant shipping since Feb. 1, shown in official British figures compiled here today, is 321 vessels, more than 180 tons and 132,600 tons, while 180 British steamer fishing vessels sunk in that period numbered 78. Records for sailing fishing vessels are incomplete, but a three weeks' total was 78.

Submarines in the period given attacked 298 ships unsuccessfully, and the weekly percentage of unsuccessful attacks has ranged from 51 to 75. During the last week given—the seven days ending with June 9—it was 58.

Arrivals and sailings in British ports since the intensive submarine campaign began have averaged about 250, but these include channel sailings.

The British figures do not give the number of vessels sunk, but officials here say 5000 tons probably would be a fair average for vessels of more than 180 tons destroyed. Computing the total at that average and putting the average of the smaller ships at 100 tons, the total loss during slightly less than four months' submarine warfare would reach 1,745,000 tons, or about 260,000 tons less than the entire world's shipping output during 1916.

MAN DISTRIBUTING SOCIALISTIC ANTI-DRAFT CIRCULAR ARRESTED

Literature Said to Have Been Barred From Mails.

Daniel Weller of 3741 Palm street, an electrician for the Union Electric Light and Power Co., was arrested about 3 a.m. today while distributing socialistic and anti-conscription circulars from house to house in the neighborhood of his home. Inclosed in each circular was a blank petition asking Congress to submit the question of the selective draft to a vote.

The circular is headed "Citizens" and bears a line saying it is "published by the Socialist party of St. Louis, headquarters 240 Chouteau avenue." It asserts that the postoffice has refused its delivery through the mails and that 50,000 copies are now being distributed from house to house.

The circular points out that this distribution has involved about \$500 expense to the Socialist party, and those opposed to the Government's military policy are asked to make this up by sending contributions to William M. Brandt, 940 Chouteau avenue.

Weller is held for the Federal authorities and efforts are being made to learn whether others aided in distributing the circulars.

GRAND JURY INVESTIGATES FOODSTUFF PRICES HERE

All to Determine Whether Manipulation and Artificial Causes Have Had Part in Advances.

The Federal grand jury today began an inquiry into the prices of foodstuffs in the St. Louis wholesale and retail markets in the last nine months. This inquiry, according to District Attorney Oliver, is part of an investigation which the Government is carrying on in all the larger cities.

The purpose, he said, is to learn whether manipulation and artificial causes have had a part in the large increases in the prices of food, or whether it is all to be accounted for by natural causes, and by the law of supply and demand. He was not ready to say whether any indictments of individuals in St. Louis are planned.

Among the testimony submitted to the grand jury, it was learned, will be the facts learned by a Post-Dispatch reporter, who spent considerable time a few weeks ago, in investigating food prices.

FINANCIAL "AD" PRIZE WINNERS

NEW YORK, June 18.—Prize winners in the advertising exhibit of the Financial Advertisers' Association, held in connection with the St. Louis convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, were made public here last night. They are:

Best Campaign—No. 1, Irving National Bank, New York; No. 2, Guaranty Trust Co., New York; No. 3, Third National Bank, St. Louis.

Best Exhibit—No. 1, Union Trust Co., Spokane, Wash.; No. 2, Northern Trust Co., Chicago; No. 3, Bankers' Trust Co., New York.

Best Individual Piece of Copy—No. 1, St. Louis Trust Co., St. Louis; No. 2, Cleveland Trust Co., Cleveland; No. 3, E. J. Lander, Grand Forks, N. D.

ARRESTED IN MUNITIONS PLANT

Man Who Had Just Got Job in East St. Louis Carried Two Revolvers.

John Cutinger, 42 years old, who says he is a resident of Louisville, Ky., was arrested today and held for the Federal authorities when he was found to have two loaded revolvers at the plant of the Missouri Malleable Iron Co., East St. Louis. He had just got a job there, and was being searched, as has been the custom since the company started making munitions.

Cutinger could not give a satisfactory explanation for the revolvers. He said he had been in East St. Louis three days.

U. S. SOCIALISTS IN STOCKHOLM

Two Delegates Arrive to Participate in Peace Discussion.

LONDON, June 18.—A dispatch to Reuters from Stockholm says: "The American representatives to the Socialist conference, Messrs. Goldfarb and Davidovich, have arrived here. They will confer with the Dutch-Scandinavian Committee Tuesday."

Housewives' Registration July 1-15; Hoover's Gospel of Clean Plate; Food to Decide War.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Reduction of the high prices of foodstuffs to the American people through conservation and elimination of waste, in which housewives are asked to co-operate, will be the aim of the new food administration, according to plans announced by Herbert C. Hoover. His plan contemplates the enrollment between July 1 and 15 of American housewives in the movement.

Hoover in a statement makes it plain that in all the arrangements to be made to furnish food to America's allies, first consideration will be given to the people of this country to see that their wants are supplied.

"As requested by the President," says Hoover, "we will ask every woman in the United States engaged in the personal control of food to register for actual membership in the food administration, thus entering directly into the national service. We shall later on ask various classes of men engaged in food preparation and distribution to also volunteer to the national services in their branches.

Women Can Help.

"Since food will decide the war, each American woman can do a real national service by protecting the food supply of the nation. Ninety per cent of American food consumers pass through the hands of our women. In no other field does so much, when multiplied by our 100,000,000 people, count for so much. A single pound of bread saved weekly for each person will increase our export surplus of wheat 100,000,000 bushels and an average saving of 2 cents on each meal every day for each person will save for the nation for war purposes \$2,000,000,000 per annum."

"Furthermore, this is not alone a war against the high prices, which are bearing so hard on the poor, and a more moderate wage earner in this country, and particularly due to the shortage of supplies in the world's market and the saving in consumption and waste which can be made will lessen the price to those of our own people, who must be our first solicitude. In all of the arrangements which we plan to make during the forthcoming year for the supply of our allies, we will bear the first regard to our own people, that they shall have plenty, provided that they eat wisely and without waste."

Efforts in Unionism. "All effort at saving must be directed towards the great national and international situation. These efforts must also be made in union and by all of us. Therefore, the groundwork of direction must be national in character, calculated not only to affect the welfare of the country as a whole. These directions will require supplemental ones from time to time of local character, and we propose in the first instance, to send out directions to each member directly, and after explanation is completed and the food administration is erected, to co-operate with the State governments by decentralization as far as possible into their hands through the various food committees.

"Inasmuch as before legislation is completed the food administration has no representatives throughout the country, the National Council of Defense is kindly requesting all the State Councils of Defense, with the assistance of the State Committees of the National Council of Defense, to undertake the registration. This registration will begin July 1 and will continue intensively for 15 days and will consist largely in asking every woman in the country to volunteer in this important service by signing and mailing for the food administrator, conservation division, Washington, the following pledge:

"I am glad to join you in the service of food conservation for our nation, and I hereby accept membership in the United States Food Administration, pledging myself to carry out the directions and advice of the food administration in the conduct of my household so far as my circumstance permit."

No Fees to Be Paid. "We not only want the name and address, but we want the number of persons in the household, we want to know whether the household employs a cook, if it has a garden, and we want to know the occupation of the bread winner. They are not to be paid for the food administration. The food administration wished now to have as members all of those currently handling food in the home."

"On receipt of the pledge we will send out preliminary instructions, and a household tag to be hung in the window. The insignia of the food administration will consist of the National Shield surrounded by heads of wheat,

CANNOT WORK OR PLAY

When you are run down in health so that it impairs the efficiency of your work as well as your power to enjoy the pleasures of life it is time that you gave Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial.

The condition that doctors describe as general debility when they describe it as all outside of the experience of most physicians until the blood has become so impoverished that it can be called anemia. "Unless this condition of bloodlessness has been reached you simply complain of failing energy, loss of appetite, constipation, lack of ambition and ambition. If you are well-to-do your physician will probably advise a change of climate. If not, he will tell you there is nothing much the matter with you. He means that there is no organic trouble. But the blood is thin and the whole system lacks tone. The blood gives everywhere, practically, and improving the quality of the blood by using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, tones up the whole body, improves the appetite, quickens the step and puts a new punch in life generally."

Customer could not give a satisfactory explanation for the revolvers. He said he had been in East St. Louis three days.

Hoover's Instructions to Women on How to Help in Saving Food

WASHINGTON, June 18.—

ERBERT C. HOOVER, in a statement on the part women are expected to take in food conservation, announces some general principles of instruction.

"To save the wheat. If we eat less we will have little more than enough for our own supply, but we can divide with our allies if each individual makes some sacrifice by eating at least one wheatless meal a day, substituting cornbread or other cereals."

"We want to save the meat, for our cattle and hogs are decreasing and we must send to our allies, so we wish every householder to buy less, to serve smaller portions and to allow no waste."

"We wish to save the fats. We consume three times the fats that are necessary for nutrition and we need the non-fat parts. We wish neither used in cooking; we want less butter served on the table, we want less lard, bacon and other pork products used."

"Any deficiencies in food supply, by economy along the above lines, can be amply covered by increasing the use of fish, potatoes, beans, peas, turnips, cabbages and vegetables generally, corn, buckwheat, rye and rice, which we will have in abundance this harvest."

"We want to save transportation. Our railways are unable to meet the war pressure for munitions, men and coal, so that we wish everyone to consume products of local origin, so far as possible to buy from the local miller, the local packer, and buy smaller eat vegetables when we have them."

"We preach and want everyone to preach 'The Gospel of the Clean Plate,' to buy less foodstuffs, to serve smaller portions and to see that nothing of value goes into the garbage can."

and we hope to have the shield displayed on every home in the United States.

Promise of Support.

"We have the promise of support from many hundreds of women's organizations in the recruiting of our membership, and the women's committee plan to take upon themselves much of the responsibility for this work, I feel confident that all the women's organizations in the country will fall in with the President's request and actively organize and support our campaign. As time passes we will need all such agencies to have their plans of campaign for pledging with the state councils of defense before July first."

"Without an agency of control which would stimulate production, eliminate waste and conserve the food supply, we declared, this country cannot furnish the bulk of food to the allies."

What Bill Aims At.

"This bill," Lever said in general explanation, "aims to facilitate and clear the channels of distribution, prevent hoarding or wilful destruction of necessities in order to enhance the price or restrict the supply; eliminate injurious speculation; regulate exchanges and boards of trade in order to prohibit undue fluctuation of prices, unjust market manipulation or unfair or misleading market quotations; reduce waste including the power to regulate or completely to prohibit the use of cereals in the manufacture of alcoholic beverages; stimulate production by assuring the farmer a free and open market for his products, unrestricted by manipulation and uncontrolled by gambling operations."

"We intend in this bill to drive from the established agencies of distribution the market manipulator, the gambler, the man who buys as cheap as he may and sells as dearly as he can—the shyster of commerce who would defraud the widow and the orphan, or fitch the pennies from the blind man upon the street car with as much complacency and unconcern as in ordering a meal at a restaurant. The measure we propose is a war measure pure and simple."

"The bill establishes a governmental control of necessities which shall be exercised and administered by the President through voluntary arrangement or agreement and co-operation with any agency or person. This is the most far-reaching and important provision of the bill. It is confidently relied for that same and adequate control necessary to the stabilization of prices and for the satisfaction and orderly distribution of necessities."

Says It Would Solve Problem.

"The administrative directive authority is here conferred, without which any real solution of the problem of food and fuel control is impossible, and without which control the same chaos and confusion and waste and lost motion and manipulation and skyrocketing prices of the last few months will only be exaggerated and increased both for ourselves and for those for whom we fight."

"Under this power we propose that those who furnish the machinery which link up the producer and the consumer shall stand always during this war emergency in the full light of publicity, upon the score that darkness is the haven of the criminal and light his death. I am happy to believe that the great overwhelming majority of the business men of the country engaged in the distribution of necessities are not unwilling to allow the light to be thrown upon their dealing, because I know that they are as patriotic as any class of citizens that we have. It is not intended that any honest business man shall be hurt. It is the crook that shall suffer in the sunlight and it is the crook, un-patriotic, selfish and greedy that we are after."

"The people," Lever added, are not deceived by the present food situation. They trust the President, he declared, and Congress must and will grant the powers to him proposed in the bill.

A letter from President Wilson to Representative Borland was made public, in which the President warned opponents of the bills that should they defeat them they must be prepared to take responsibility for food conditions and prices which were predicted to follow.

The great majority of the House greeted

BILL "TO BRING FOOD CROOKS OUT INTO SUNLIGHT"

Chairman Lever, in House Explains Control Measure Will Not Harm Honest Business.

FORESTALLS OPPOSITION

"No War Ever Won by Debating Society; Time for Getting Down to Brass Tacks."

WASHINGTON, June 18.—To bring "food crooks out into the sunlight," but not to injure honest business is the aim of the food control bill, Chairman Lever of the Agriculture Committee declared today in opening debate on the measure in the House.

The resolution declares a separate peace with Germany or prolonged inactivity on the battle front would be ignoble treason toward Russia's allies, for which future generations never would pardon the Russia of the present day.

"The Duma therefore considers," the resolution adds, "that the safety of Russia and the maintenance of the liberties which have been obtained lie in an immediate offensive in close co-operation with Russia's allies."

"The German newspaper which has

arrived, thus far print the German Socialists' memorandum on peace terms without comment, the Vorwärts along

accompanying the memorandum with a column explanation of motives and hopes. But many of the papers comment on President Wilson's recent speech and his message to Russia, and the Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung's semi-official statement thereon, which is treated as an official invitation to the Russian authorities to negotiate on a basis of no indemnities or annexations."

"No Obstacle to Peace."

The Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung's words, "This formal presentation does not obtrude upon the relations between Russia and the Central Powers," which are never demanded from Russia annexations and contributions," of course contains a "joker" in the use of the word "annexations."

"Instead of 'cessions' of territory, the Imperial Chancellor's repeated declarations that the lands wrested from Russia and now occupied by the Teutonic troops should not be allowed to go back to Russia being still in force."

The erection of Russian Poland into a buffer kingdom dependent upon Germany and with a Hapsburg monarch toward which the Austro-German authorities are still laboring, is strictly speaking, not annexation, though the intended result is the same. The German plans, however, go further than the erection of a German buffer state from Russian Poland.

The Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung which contained the formal presentation of friendship for Russia and the allied (Teutonic) Powers, which have never demanded from Russia annexations and contributions," instead of "cessions" of territory, the Imperial Chancellor's repeated declarations that the lands wrested from Russia and now occupied by the Teutonic troops should not be allowed to go back to Russia being still in force."

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Pan-Germans Perturbed Over Peace Declarations to Russia.

AMSTERDAM, June 18.—The Pan-German newspapers are greatly perturbed over what the Vorwärts, the Socialist organ of Berlin, terms "the first, if only partial commitment" of the Government to the principle of peace without annexations or indemnities." In the statement of the semi-official Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung of Berlin concerning President Wilson's note to Russia.

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Submarine Invention Office in Chicago.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Inventions and suggestions for destroying submarines and protecting ships have been coming in from the West so rapidly that the Naval Consulting Board announced today that it had established a branch office at 122 West Adams street, Chicago, to receive and consider suggestions or designs from inventors living west of Pittsburgh.

Eikus to Report on Townshend.

PARIS, June 18.—Abraham Eikus, former American Ambassador to Constantinople, has gone to London for a stay of several days, during which time he will confer with the British authorities in regard to Gen. Townshend, captured by the Turks at Kut-el-Amara, and now held by them near Constantinople.

The police said he was

\$600,000,000 U.S. AIR FLEET FOR WAR SERVICE PROPOSED

Administration Behind Great Program of Building and of Training Aviators.

STATEMENT BY BAKER

He Declares No Other Assistance So Effective Can Be Furnished Quickly.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—The administration is squarely behind the project to appropriate \$600,000,000 for the development of the aviation branch of the American army and navy on a huge scale, as the most effective and immediate contribution this country can make to the allied cause.

While the sum which President Wilson will ask of Congress to provide without delay is immense, administration officials believe the future will demonstrate that its expenditure was the best made by our Government in the war.

All these engagements will inside Germany terribly visible from air. The pilots engaged in the war have found the sky prepared with numbers. Some last few days have been from 70 to 80 machines. British pilots report that the Germans now less than 50 machines, while they encounter an army consisting of from 100 to 150 machines.

Great formations have been the British in the sky, and the German air forces have reassembled themselves week by adopting the tactics of mass.

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War to Bring About a Solution of the Servant Girl Problem, Says Head of Domestic Employment Bureau of the Y. W. C. A.

Shortage of Labor to Win 10-Hour Day, She Tells Marguerite Martyn



Field Is Open for Some Interesting Experiments in Household Efficiency, Mrs. C. A. Coates Says—Industrial Lines in Market for More Women Workers.

By MARGUERITE MARTYN.

MANY good things come out of war, especially to women," I heard a woman say the other day. She was alluding to the democratization of women through Red Cross work.

Another instance of the truth of this observation is brought to my notice by Mrs. C. A. Coates, head of the domestic service employment bureau of the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. Coates is an expert in her field, not merely a specialist in placing and securing domestic help, but an all-around sympathizer and observer of every angle of her transactions. From her vantage point she predicts that out of the topsy-turvy conditions in the labor market due to the war, is coming the solution of the great servant girl problem.

"Conditions are entirely changed from the need and expected to take women what they were three years ago," she said for work formerly done by men.

"Have you had calls for women to replace men where the women would have to adopt men's attire?" I inquired.

Favors Overalls for Women.

"Not yet, but we expect them. And for my part," declared Mrs. Coates, "I should like to see overalls or almost any other costume replace the bungalow apron which is the popular costume of women in factories now. The flapping apron is dangerous around machinery and, furthermore, it is not decent."

"We always make it a point," continued Mrs. Cabell, "to insist that these employers agree to pay the same wages to men that they have been paying to women, and the employees actuated by patriotic motives are doing the same."

"Wages and hours are not the only factors due for readjustment either," she continued. "There are conditions of work from patriotic impulses, to release men for the army, should either donate their services outright or should require pay equal to the men they replace in order that the standard of wages may be kept up."

But to return to Mrs. Coates' interesting view of the domestic help situation.

"There are innumerable faults on both sides of this question for readjustment," observed Mrs. Coates. "Take the employer's side first, for here is the greatest responsibility. Housewives have persisted in insisting their householders should either donate their services or co-operate with the government in seeking help.

"Employers, on the other hand, are to blame for failing to meet conditions half way. They should all this time have been profiting by the experiences of their husbands in the business world. Men employers in their relations to labor have been forced to recognize the just demands of the workers.

"The demand for help far exceeds the supply," said Mrs. Cabell, whose desk is labeled "Clerical Employment." "When women whose male supporters had enlisted began coming in seeking employment, I wrote to many big employers asking that they co-operate with us in placing these women. I've had answers from many who never have called upon us before, who haven't employed women before, saying they would co-operate and that they were anticipating

"the old friend" calls and helps family.

James Jackson of Hill Bell avenue was reported to the police that he and his wife were visited at their home about 11 o'clock by two men, one of whom was an old friend, who had him up at the point of a revolver and robbed him of \$25. The name of the man was given to the police.

We Save Your Summer Apparel!

INSISTS ON FINES FOR TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS

Street Director Wants Civic Bodies to Help Stop Increase in Auto Accidents.

GRAND JURY INQUIRY BEGAN IN KEET CASE

Murder Informations Issued Against Pierol and Cletus Adams to Keep Them in Jail.

COCCI INDICTED FOR RUTH CRUGER MURDER

Effort Began to Have Bicycle Repairer Returned to New York From Italy.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., June 18.—The Greene County Grand Jury today started an investigation of circumstances surrounding the kidnaping and death of baby Lloyd Keet, the son of whose bicycle shop the body of Ruth Cruger, an 18-year-old high school graduate, was found buried on Saturday. Cruger is in Italy. He fled from New York soon after the girl disappeared last February. The State Department has been asked to take legal steps to have him brought back.

Police Commissioner Woods today started an inquiry into the alleged laxity of the police in failing to find the body. Mrs. Grace Humiston, a woman lawyer whose efforts were responsible for its discovery, will co-operate with the commissioner in an investigation of her assertion that 22 missing girls in this city might have suffered a fate similar to Ruth Cruger's. His detectives are working on the data supplied by Mrs. Humiston.

The District Attorney's office, confronted by the fact that there is no extradition treaty between the United States and Italy, announced that the problem of having Cruger returned would be taken up with members of the Italian royal commission to the United States while they are the city's guests later in the week.

As material witnesses in the case, the authorities today continue to hold under heavy bail Mrs. Marie Cocco, wife of Cruger; Victor Brady, a chauffeur, and Joseph Palumbo, a clerk. Both Brady and Palumbo are said to be friends of Cruger.

Drotto H. Schultz, county medical examiner, who made an autopsy yesterday, expressed the opinion that the crime was another "Ripper" case.

RAIDS ON GERMAN-AMERICAN AND GERMAN-AUSTRIAN HALLS

Police Alleged That Intoxicants Were Being Served Illegally at Both Places.

Members of the German-American Benevolent Association, at Thirteenth street and Chouteau avenue, and of the German-American Alliance, at 11th Chouteau avenue, were arrested in police raids yesterday afternoon on charges of violating the Sunday law.

The raid on the German-American organization was made a short time after former Judge Leo Rassleur made a speech in which he denounced German imperialism. Police found a half-barrel of beer on tap and several unopened barrels and kegs. Rudolph A. Schimmer, of 11th South Compton avenue, president of the association; Caspar Koch and Fredrik Pockern were arrested and charged with selling intoxicants on Sunday.

At the German-American Alliance headquarters a meeting to arrange for a State convention was being held when the raid was made. Thirteen men were taken to the Soulard Street Police Station, but all except three were released. Those charged with violating the law were John Gewinner Jr., manager of the alliance, and Alfred Schuler and David Faehnrich, who were alleged to have served drinks. Four half-barrels of beer and two kegs were confiscated.

Burglars Raid Chestnut Street Bar. Burglars entered the bar of the Alamac Hotel, Fourteenth and Chestnut street, last night, taking more than \$200 worth of liquors and tobacco.

The newspapers also have narrow advertising columns and there are now seven instead of six to the page.

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Pope Won't Recall Bishop of Trent
PARIS, June 18.—A Havana dispatch from Rome states that the Vatican has announced that it has finally refused to

recall the Right Rev. Coelestin Endrici, Bishop of Trent, as demanded by Austria. The effort to dislodge Mgr. Endrici dates from the beginning of the a declaration of loyalty to Austria.

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PRESERVING Mason Jars tape; plnts.; 50c Qts. 60c 1/2 gal. 72c with zinc cap: 53c Qts. 63c 1/2 gal. 77c
NEEDS JAR CAPS Zinc, plain, 21c | 5c Lacquered, 7c FRUIT JAMS quality of the wheat, pkg. 15c
KOHLRABI Fresh bunches. 2 for 5c | RADISHES Big bunches. 3 for 5c | LEMON; 36c size; sound, juicy, doz. 20c
ASPARAGUS Large white tender spears; bunch. 7c | TEXAS ONIONS Sound, dry. 5c

NEW POTATOES

Beets Big bunches. 2 for 5c | Carrots Tender bunches. 3 for 10c | Lettuce Large crisp heads 2 for 5c

HOME GROWN PEAS Fresh, sweet tender; per quart. 5c HOME GROWN CABAGE Nice sound sound heads. 5c

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CORN

Sauerkraut Long thin cut; 2 for 29c

PEAS Country Club: 2 F Fresh, tender; No. 2 cans. 20c | 25c

SWEET POTATOES Dry packed; big can. 15c

TOMATOES Solid packed; 1 lb. can. 2 for 25c

ASPARAGUS Cliftons medium green, tall round can. 10c

TENDERLOIN, PORTERHOUSE or SIRLOIN STEAK Cut from finest native cattle; tender, juicy; per pound. 30c

Brisket Beef For bottom: 15c | Shoulder Steak Per lb. 27c | Corned Beef Per lb. 15c

VEAL CHOPS Per lb. 25c | Neck Bones Per lb. 7c | Braunschweiger Fine for lunch; com. 15c

CUTlets Per lb. 35c | Pig Tails Per lb. 15c | Dry Salt Jaws Per lb. 23c | Smoked Jowls Per lb. 25c

Tongue Sausage Per lb. 20c | Fancy Smoked ts Per lb. 22c | Potted Meat Ham flavor; 5c

MILK Golden Key 12c

GRAPE JUICE Country Club: Pint bottle, rich flavor; 19c per bottle. 34c | 1/2 pint bottle, 12c

GINGER ALE Rock Spring: 9c Root Beer: 9c | Avocado, 16c

ROOT BEER per bottle.

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BROOMS 45c | WASHBOARDS

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RADICAL REFORM IN GOVERNMENT OF SPAIN DEMANDED

Country Declared to Be "Sick of Favoritism" and Monopolizing of Office.

DISCONTENT IS GENERAL

Soldiers' Demands for Rights Sets Example for Whole Country.

MADRID, June 18.—A movement for a radical rebuilding of the whole political edifice in Spain is gaining adherents everywhere. Discontent with existing methods has been long general among the more advanced Liberals and reformers among the other parties of the left. Internal and external difficulties arising from the war have served to heighten and increase it, and it has gained among the other parties. Even former Premier Maura, leader of the Conservatives, agrees that there is ground for dissatisfaction.

Senator Romeo, editor of the *Correspondencia de Espana*, summed up the general grievance in a forcible article recently. He wrote: "We ought all to imitate the soldiers in refusing to be down trodden a moment longer. The soldiers have shown us the only way possible for organization, which is the firm determination to carry our point regardless of sacrifice."

Fried of Favoritism.

"The whole of Spain with the exception of a thousand families who monopolize the sweets of office, is sick to death of the favoritism which condemns the country to external stagnation and is only waiting for the signal to rise like one man and do away with it forever. Favoritism is the cancer which is killing Spain and will put an end to her unless we put an end to it."

The Officers' Defense Committee demand briefly that rewards should be proportionate to service and that promotion should be by merit, with due regard to the claims of seniority. Their action was on the whole well received by the public and brought about the downfall of the Brihuega administration. The example is being followed all over the country. Defense committees of all sorts of professions and trades, as well as of Government servants, are springing up everywhere.

At Cordova a number of prominent men, including engineers, university professors, manufacturers, workmen and priests have published a manifesto demanding a new political system totally different from that hitherto in existence and urging the formation of defense committees similar to the officers' organizations throughout the country. In the meanwhile there is a growing movement in favor of the reopening of Parliament. Three Liberal Deputies, Senors Darriobera, Basogla and Pacheca, have addressed a manifesto to the Senators and Deputies protesting against the closing of the Cortes under the present circumstances.

Premier Confident.

It seems that the Government wishes to allow time for the agitation to die down before submitting a solution of the grave problems raised by the army officers and by the labor troubles. Premier Data interviewed yesterday, said:

"The whole question is to know how to meet the aspirations of the country. The Government is, therefore, taking note of all claims of grievances and justice will be done without delay. We shall be guided by judgments of public opinion. We do not pretend that we live in an Arcadia, but we think we can say that we have brought about a relaxation of the strained situation which permits us to view the future with confidence."

Among the steps the Government is taking is a reorganization of the higher commands in the army which is being studied by the Minister of War, Gen. Primo-Rivera. While Premier Data enjoys general respect, his confidence in the outlook is not altogether shared by political observers, who unanimously agree that the situation continues one of extraordinary difficulty.

Conferees With U. S. Envoy.

The Marques de la Riva, Spanish Foreign Minister, has had long interviews with the American Ambassador and with the Spanish Ambassador to Great Britain, who has just arrived here. Afterward he conferred for two hours with Premier Data, following which the Premier met the Italian Ambassador and the Minister of Finance.

Premier Data told the newspaper reporters that the Government did not intend to exercise any censorship against criticisms of the present ministry or against the administrations of Count Raimondi or Marquis Prieto, but would forbid attacks against persons in authority by any body of irresponsible persons.

He also said that attacks which might prejudice the Government's foreign policy or military discipline would be prohibited. The Premier added that the country had confidence in the Government's policy of neutrality.

Col. Marques, president of the Officers' Defense Committee at Barcelona, the leading body in the reform movement, has declared that the committee did not intend to ask for increased pay. He said that the state military budget would suffice for the reorganization of the army if it was well employed.

Vacation Plans Are Being Made—Use These "Helps." The call of the country—the woodland, the rivers, the sweet, fresh, flower-perfumed air of the fields and mountains, all whisper to the business man, his workers and their families, to come and be refreshed. The resort proprietors are ready with accommodations. See their offers in the POST-DISPATCH, Resort and Country Board columns, first want page—especially Sunday.

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IRRESISTIBLE appeals to shrewd buyers will every one of these items prove. Prices quoted obtain for Tuesday and No Mail or Telephone Orders Will Be Filled.

Silk Gloves, Pr.,
WOMEN'S "S. B. & F." 79c
Special! Gloves of best quality fine Milanese silk alpaca style with strap wrist, double finger tips. White, black, ivory, orange, gray and silver, with wide two-tone embroidered backs. All sizes and a very special value. (Main Floor.)

"Nuway" Cleaner at
FOR cleaning all kinds of white shoes. Regular size 15c packages priced special for Tuesday. (Main Floor.)

Men's Silk Socks
THREAD Silk Socks, in colors, reinforced with lace thread heels and toes. 42c (Main Floor.)

Women's Union Suits
"MERODE" Union Suits, lace-trimmed knees, 75c Some band tops. (Main Floor.)

Children's Waist Suits
RIBBED Waist Suits, R. taped and with buttons. 29c All sizes. (Main Floor.)

Bathing Suit Taffeta
BRILLIANT fast-black, 36 inches wide, for bathing suits and skirts. Specially priced for Tuesday only. (Second Floor.)

Boys' Blouses
OF corded madras, neat 39c striped effects, fast colors. Collar attached, tapes. All sizes. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Hair Nets, 6 for
LARGE-size Human Hair Nets, automobile, including cap shape. (Third Floor.)

Bathing Suit Satins
ALL-COTTON, but with a silk luster, fast-black, 85c guaranteed for two seasons' wear, 54 inches wide. (Second Floor.)

Men's Pajamas
OF good quality percale, solid white and stripes, 95c fancy trimmed or with silk frogs. All sizes. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Men's Union Suits
COTTON ribbed, light weight, with short sleeves 69c and ankle length. Closed crotch. Peeler color. All sizes. (Square 12—Main Floor.)

Shelf Embroidery, Yard,
HEAVY quality cambric, about 5 inches wide, 5c brodered scalloped edges in blue, with various kitchen utensils brodered to match. While the lot lasts at the above special price. (Main Floor.)

Linen Handkerchiefs,
WOMEN'S 8 Handkerchiefs of fine quality 12½c pure linen, neatly hemstitched, with ½-inch hem. Excellent value. (Main Floor.)

Pearl Beads
FRENCH filled Pearl Beads, beautiful luster, pink or cream color, graduated 26-inch length. (Main Floor.)

Mahogany Clocks
EIGHT DAY Clocks, \$5.35 plain, square shape, 10x10½ inches, with reliable movement—strike hour and half-hours. Splendid wedding gifts and priced special for Tuesday only. (Main Floor.)

Note Paper, Box
BOXES containing 24 sheets and 24 envelopes 17c good quality linen-finish paper, priced special at 17c box, or three boxes, 50c (Main Floor.)

Curtain Rods, Each,
TWO HUNDRED Flexible, 12½c rods, made of highest quality piano wire. Shown in sizes 30 to 42 and 48 to 56 inches. Complete with brackets, offered while the lot lasts at this very low price. (Fourth Floor.)

Lingerie Tape, Bolts,
FINE mercerized quality, white, pink or blue; 5c yards to bolt. (Main Floor.)

Pillowcases, Pair
A GREAT favorite with hundreds of our patrons 39c and offered fresh from our sun-light bakery Tuesday at this special price. (Second Floor.)

Golden Loaf Cake
STAMPED Day and Pillows of Conti- 39c nental tubing, size 26x42 inches. Big variety of designs for French or eyelet embroidery. (Second Floor.)

Wash Buttons, Card,
WINGER PROOF Wash Buttons, various sizes, 4c 6 to 12 on card. Special at 4c, or three cards, 10c. (Main Floor.)

Wall Paper, Roll
WASHABLE Varnished Wash Tile Papers, new de- 15c signs, for bathrooms and kitchens. (Fourth Floor.)

Razor Blades, 6 for
ELLETT Safety Razor 35c Blades, dozen, 6c, pack 35c age of six for 35c (Main Floor.)

Strap Purse

COLORED Leather Strap Purse, in many styles, 59c nicely lined and fitted with inside frame purse. Very popular. (Main Floor.)

Crystal Soap, 6 Bars
WHITE LAUNDRY Soap. Limit 24c customer at this very special price. (Fifth Floor.)

Polish Mops
"BIG WONDER" Polish Mops, triangular shape, 45c which gets into corners. (Fifth Floor.)

Coats' Thread, Spool
"CHAIN" brand, white, various numbers. Limit 2c one dozen to a buyer. (Main Floor.)

Character Dolls
BOY or girl, in gingham dresses, and rompers. 29c Dolls which are hard to break. (Fifth Floor.)

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Truth in Advertising

WITH the development of advertising has come the realization of its great force in the business world. That it lowers the cost of distribution has been demonstrated by the experience of the foremost manufacturers and dealers.

To conserve the great force of advertising—to make it more and more effective—to eliminate all possible waste, many reforms were suggested to the publishers and the advertisers. The keynote of the retail departmental meetings was "eliminate comparative prices."

Many of the common practices of retail advertising were recited, and it was pointed out that as long as we must deal with the human element, untruth was bound to creep in when comparative prices are used.

It is extremely gratifying to us that we took this forward step in advertising and discontinued the use of comparative prices almost a year ago.

STIX, BAER & FULLER D. G. CO.

"Wear Ever" Saucepans

OF heavy gauge alum inum, double lipped, 2½ quart capacity. (Fifth Floor.)

Garden Hose, Special
ELM brand, ¾-inch, Goodyear make, 50¢ 39c ft. length, complete with couplings. (Fifth Floor.)

Baby Swings at
MADE of canvas, for indoor and outdoor use. 79c (Fifth Floor.)

8-Piece Cooking Sets
FINE mercerized Covered Casserole, Bean Pot, three Pudding Dishes and three Mixing Bowls each piece is fireproof, brown outside and white lined. (Fifth Floor.)

Boys' Union Suits
POROSKIN, halibut, ribbed and nainsook, all 35c sizes—samples. (Downstairs Store.)

Lining Cambric, Yard
SMALL lot of Lining Cambrics; black and colors. 5c (Downstairs Store.)

Mill Remnants of Cotton Staples

MILL REMNANTS Dress Lawns;

light colors; printed; on sale at per yard, 5c

MILL REMNANTS White Dress Fabrics; fancy striped, checks and plaids; yard, 6c

MILL REMNANTS Dress Ginghams; Towels, cotton and plaid, also plain and huck

crashes, some with borders missing, each, 3c, 5c, 10c and 15c

MILL REMNANTS Sheetings, unbleached, 52 inches wide, on sale at yard, 10c

MILL REMNANTS Table Damask, bleached, mercerized, 64 and 72 inches wide and on one-yard lengths, each, 25c

MILL REMNANTS Jap Silks, (silk and cotton) solid black, per yard, 15c

MILL REMNANTS Jap Silks, (silk and cotton) solid black, per yard, 15c

White Silk Gloves

WOMEN'S two-clasp

White Silk Gloves, with

55c

heavy embroidered black or self-colored backs. (Downstairs Store.)

Mill Remnant Sale of

Knit Wear

Women's Pants

GAUZE cotton, with French

band, tight knees. Reg. 15c

larger sizes.

Women's Vests

SWISS ribbed cotton, taped

neck and arms. Slight 8½c

seconds.

Boys' Union Suits

POROSKIN, halibut, ribbed and nainsook, all 35c

sizes—samples. (Downstairs Store.)

Lining Cambric, Yard

SMALL lot of Lining Cambrics; black and colors. 5c

(Downstairs Store.)

Mill Lots

Floor Coverings

Matting Samples, Each

ONE QUARTER sec.

samples of S. \$1.98

Sanford & Son's Brussels Rugs,

best quality. Measure 4 ft., 6 in.

7 ft. bound on all edges.

Stair Carpets, Yard

REMNANTS of reversible

Brussels Carpets, 25c

18 inches wide, mottled effects

in pretty color combinations.

Lengths to 20 yards.

Rug Remnants, Sq. Yd.

GENUINE Congoleone

19c

Rugs, in many different sizes and designs—borders on two and three sides. Can be matched into room size rugs.

Linenoleum Remnants, Yd.

BEST quality Felt Linoleum,

in hardwood and

29c

fancy borders, in pink, blue and yellow designs. Enough of some patterns to cover large rooms.

(Downstairs Store.)

A Sale of New Taffeta Skirts

Representing Many Distinctive New Models

\$2.98 and \$3.98

There are all sizes from 23 to 30 waistband—

also extra sizes up to 34-inch waist measure

IN a very fortunate purchase, several hundred striking new skirts have come to us. They are tailored from good quality taffeta, in all black and in many stunning colored stripe effects. Some are plainly tailored, while others are fancily trimmed with pockets, shirring, bolts, straps and buttons.

Middy Blouses
Special 79c
at

A NUMBER of pretty new models taken from our regular stock and reduced for Tuesday. They are in white with colored collar and cuffs, and are to be had in women's and misses' sizes.

The Final Close-Out of About 150
Women's and Misses' Cloth Coats
\$3.00

THESE are splendid garments for the cool Summer evenings and will give lots of service, and are on sale while they last. There are coats of plaids, checks and mixtures, in sizes for juniors, misses and women.

Silk Waists

Special \$2.29

at

Silk Stockings, Pr.

WOMEN'S Silk

Shadow-striped

Stockings, in several different colors. Reinforced heels and toes.

(Main Floor.)

Women's Oxfords,

PATENT or dull leather,

with

O'Sullivan's rubber heels and Goodyear sole sewed soles.

All sizes.

(Main Floor.)

(Main Floor.)</p

Sonnenfeld's

610-612 Washington Avenue
The House of Courtesy

Tuesday Only

Ten-Dollar Day

650 Suits, Coats and Dresses remaining from our "Choice of the House" sale will be offered tomorrow at Ten Dollars. The sizes, styles and colors are limited; we therefore urge early attendance.

Silk Taffeta Suits.....

Silk Pongee Suits.....

Wool Jersey Suits.....

Gabardine and Serge Suits.....

Silk Jersey Coats.....

Plain and Marabou trimmed

Silk Sweater Coats.....

Silk Taffeta Coats.....

Wool Jersey Coats.....

Plaid Wool Coats.....

Gabardine & Poplin Coats.....

Silk Taffeta Dresses.....

Crepe de Chine Dresses.....

Silk Pongee Dresses.....

Net, Gingham & Voile Dresses.....

Choice
\$10
No Approvals
No Exchanges

Title of Next Ado. is
"No Slacker"

Proud of its Name



You can always depend on this tobacco. It has earned its reputation for doing the right thing. All those good old qualities that make a pipe smoke worth while are built into it.

U.S. MARINE CUT PLUG



is as honest as it is friendly. It's a sound investment for it gives satisfactory returns one nickel. There are no "ifs" about it. The weather doesn't have to be made to order to suit U.S. MARINE. It's a comfortable outdoor smoke under the most trying conditions—indoors it's pipe luxury.

U.S. MARINE comes from Kentucky's best tobacco soil. Over twenty years of experience are back of its manufacture. It comes to you in the new sealed-in-package, ripe, fragrant and fresh. A pipe smoke built to satisfy a man of sense.

**U. S. Marine makes friends
and holds them**

5 cents
a package

Guaranteed by
The American Tobacco Co.
INCORPORATED

Following our usual custom we do not quote any comparative values in this advertisement.

ROOKIES ARRESTED ON LIQUOR CHARGE

Two Recruits Accused of Taking Whisky Into Barracks; Clean-up Campaign General.

The arrest Saturday of two Jefferson Barracks "rookies" on a charge of taking liquor into the Barracks reservation in violation of Federal law was made public today.

The recruits, William Robinson and William Sieman, were recent arrivals from Chicago, and were not in uniform. Internal Revenue Department agents Saturday afternoon found the two saluting at Telegraph and Barracks roads and heading for the reservation. They followed the men and arrested them inside the grounds. Four bottles of beer and a half pint of whisky were found in their possession, the agents say. The saloon keeper is not blamed for making the sale, as the men were not in uniform.

The campaign of the commission on Military Training Camp Activities against immorality and the sale of liquor to soldiers is not aimed particularly at St. Louis.

"Please correct this impression, if such impression was created by anything I was quoted as saying," said Raymond B. Fodick, civilian chairman of the commission, in a letter received yesterday. George M. Brown, president of the St. Louis Branch of the National Security League,

"There is a nation-wide movement to clean up conditions in the vicinity of army camps and posts, as a matter not only of morale but of military efficiency. The reports coming from St. Louis in regard to conditions particularly in the County, were such as to lead us to believe that immediate action should be taken. We are confident, of course, that the county and city authorities will cooperate to the utmost, and that the conditions complained of will be remedied at once."

"The support of your organization in this matter is thoroughly appreciated."

SEVERAL THOUSAND ATTEND OPEN AIR MASS AT BARRACKS

Field Headquarters of Knights of Columbus Dedicated Following the Service

Open-air mass at Jefferson Barracks yesterday morning was attended by several thousand civilians, as well as by many men in uniform. The altar was placed in a music stand on a slight elevation above the shaded ground where the audience sat, stood or knelt in different parts of the service.

The Rev. Father E. C. McFadden was celebrant of the mass, and the Rev. Father J. J. O'Brien preached the sermon, which was of a patriotic character. Father O'Brien spoke of the charges of vice conditions around the Barracks as being "nothing more than slander," and said that Col. Irwin, the commandant, had done all he could to look after the soldier's spiritual interests.

The Knights of Columbus Choral Club, under the direction of William T. Detzel, sang "America," and soldiers in khaki served as acolytes at the altar.

Following the service, Field headquarters of the Knights of Columbus, built by the St. Louis members of the order for the use of the soldiers, were dedicated, with talks by Father McFadden, Joseph Kane, Col. Irwin and others.

BODY OF NEGRO GIRL, AGED 7, IS FOUND IN AN ASH PIT

Negro Laborer Confesses to Mutilating and Choking the Child to Death.

The body of Pearl Irene Newbold, a negro girl, 7 years old, daughter of Mrs. Lena Harris, 1312 Clark avenue, was found at 7 o'clock this morning in an ashpit in the rear of 109 South Fourth street. Marks on the throat indicated she had been strangled. Her clothing and garments identified as belonging to Walter Digg, a negro, who lives at that address, were found in the adjoining yard.

The body was found by Mrs. Thomas Jones of 1312 Clark avenue, in whose care the child was left by Mrs. Harris yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Jones said the child was with Digg after she returned from Sunday school at 3 p. m. and that Digg bought her ice cream and took her to his room.

Digg, who is 28 years old and a laborer, was arrested. He at first denied knowledge of the crime, but after questioning the greater part of the forenoon at the Central Police Station he confessed that he had mutilated the child and choked her to death.

NO DEPOSIT REQUIRED

From residence customers for Union Electric Light & Power Co. service.—Adv.

PRESS IN GERMANY BITTERLY ASSAILS PRESIDENT'S SPEECH

DISCUSSION OF FLAG DAY ADDRESS AND OF NOTE TO RUSSIA REFLECT ADVENTURE DESIRE FOR PEACE IN EAST.

AMSTERDAM, June 18.—Under the heading "Without a Mask" ("Answers of Hypocrites Will Be Wilson in Delirium," the Berlin and German provincial papers print lengthy summaries of President Wilson's flag day speech and the Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung statement on the President's note to Russia. In many cases the two pronouncements are discussed in conjunction.

The comments on the note to Russia clearly reflect the ardent desire in Germany to make peace with her Eastern foe while they repeat the familiar declarations about the position on all fronts being favorable and about the iron determination to win a victory if the preferred hand is not accepted. As an example the Vossische Zeitung says: "Not only is time working on our side, but also sound human understanding."

On the note to Russia.

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO CO.

IN THE NEWSROOM.

The summer hotel man is preparing a fest—of fine fare and fun—and invites you to come. See the POST-DISPATCH Resort and Country Board columns on the first page—especially Sunday.

5

cents
a package

U.S. MARINE

CUT PLUG

5

The poor are always with us

THIS advertisement is paid for by a few men who are impressed with the work of the Provident Association and want others to know of it. This is in addition to their regular subscriptions, and does not divert a dollar from the funds of the Association.

In these times of great prosperity, when work can be obtained by most any one who seeks it, we are prone to think that poverty and suffering are at an end.

We associate charity with blizzards and hard times, and completely forget that the unfortunate can be just as hungry without food in summer as they do in winter—that sickness is just as relentless, if not more so, in hot weather as it is in cold.

We forget that times of general prosperity do not bring relief to the widowed mother of little children—that the aged and infirm are no better off because there is plenty of work which they could do if they were able.

Nor do we stop to think that the greatly increased cost of living has put thousands of families in a position where they need help, because the dollars they earn cannot be stretched to cover their needs.

St. Louis Provident Association

does not forget these things, because its workers are brought in touch with them every day. This great-hearted friend of the unfortunate looks after the distressed in St. Louis to the very limit of its ability. It does not dispense charity with a lavish hand—neither does it hand out begrudgingly the aid sought by the unfortunate. Every case which comes to its attention is investigated in a thorough but kindly way. No worthy applicant need shrink from its investigation—no unworthy impostor can hope to defraud it.

Help which does not pauperize

Indiscriminate and unwise giving of money, food, clothing, etc., will pauperize families and make them permanently dependent upon charity. In cases where material help is actually needed, the Provident Association supplies it, but also immediately seeks to find the cause of the poverty and helps the unfortunate to remedy it. It helps the family to help itself by showing the way—thus lifting families out of their poverty by making them self-supporting and no longer a burden on the community.

It finds work for the unemployed.

It finds suitable work for the handicapped.

It makes a permanent provision for those who cannot work.

It finds medical care for the sick.

It gives instructions in hygiene and thrift.

It puts families and individuals in touch with Churches, Sunday Schools, Settlement Workers and other helpful agencies.

It communicates with friends or relatives who may help. It prosecutes men who refuse to support their families.

Facilities for finding the needy

Through many citizens, physicians, teachers, charitable, social and religious organizations, as well as by its own workers, the Provident Association has unusual facilities for finding those who need help. Also, by special arrangement with the Chief of Police, all policemen report immediately by phone all families or individuals they find in distress. Through a similar arrangement with the superintendent of instruction the attendance officers and nurses of the public schools report daily to the Provident Association the names of any children kept out of school by poverty.

Relief stations scattered throughout the city

Five relief stations are so located throughout the city that it is unnecessary for those seeking help to go far for it. These stations also enable the Association workers to keep closer in touch with those cases where help must be taken to the needy.

Summer health camp for women and children

This is a new and very necessary work just started by the Provident Association. The camp is located at Kimmwick, Mo., on the bluffs overlooking the Mississippi, just south of St. Louis. Here a big 24-room house, with large shaded grounds will comfortably accommodate from 30 to 50 mothers and small children. Two or three weeks in the country with plenty of fresh air and good food will do wonders in restoring health and strength to sickly mothers and children, convalescents and others whose lives depend upon fresh air, good food and healthful surroundings.

The camp is in charge of a graduate trained nurse, and a doctor is within call and will come as often as needed. This is a real charity and one which no other organization in St. Louis provides.

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The kind of charity that helps

The following is typical of many cases that the Provident Association has helped. This sort of work does not pauperize—it builds up—it is the very best kind of charity.

A TRUE STORY

From the files of the St. Louis Provident Association.

Case No. 317.

W. E. was only 15 and they told him his mother had turned herself in an almshouse state. It was rather a staggering blow to a young chap. Up until now they had been able to manage something together since the father had deserted them; but now to have to leave his mother must do any more work, and that they should get out of the one room in a poor tenement where they lived in crowded quarters with other families. The boy said he would have told his mother that she ought to be sent for a trip to Europe, so impossible did it seem.

But the next day a friendly young woman came to see them who was a nurse sent by the nurse. She talked with them a great deal about their situation, asking various questions, and finally told them that it might be possible to do something for this boy. Some suggestion was made of a child labor camp, but the boy said he preferred to stay in the room for a few days, and that they were to get ready their few belongings in preparation for moving.

It seemed almost too good to be true. Now it would not be necessary for the mother to go away in order to have the conditions that she needed, and she could take care of her as long as she lived without incurring any expense. When he went to work that night he was surprised to hear his boss speak to him in a very friendly way and to talk to him about the chances of his getting a place where he could go to something better when he had reached 16 and would be permitted to work on a machine. It seemed that the friendly lady had been to see the man and had told him of the boy and his mother and had asked him to be a father to the lad. When the boy went to see the new home which had been furnished for them, he was delighted to find that while the place of the home of his uncle to whom he was devoted as to a father; that there were good neighbors and that he was near a library where he could go to study and read. He was discovered, too, that when he went to the library, the librarian seemed to take particular interest in him and suggested that just the sort of books that a 15-year-old boy would enjoy reading and encouraged him to come often. He did not know that the friendly lady had talked to the librarian about him.

During the winter days there were times when the furnace would break down at the country and he would not have to work, and there was no money to buy coal. The friendly lady would come with all that she needed to keep her warm and well fed; but the lady with the kindly smile, who was a Provident Association visitor, would assure every mother and her husband what was ever needed in the family would be sent the next day.

Because he was relieved of worries at home, he took greater interest in his work and was soon advanced to a place where he received a much better wage, and so through the long months he kept the wife home together and encouraged the sick mother until last her days were ended and he had to close up the two rooms that had meant so much of home to him. He had found himself; he had made his start, and now in the home of his uncle he is developing into a citizen of whom St. Louis may well be proud.

THAT'S SERVICE—IT PAYS.

To give you some idea of the character of work done by the Provident Association and the extent of it; we give below the figures for last year:

Families under care	4,712
Children under 14	6,713
Individuals in families	18,198
Women's Lodge	152
Women	152
Children	152
Total days' care	1,347
Men's Lodge	463
Homeless men cared for	463
Days' care	1,842
Number of the above that worked	280
Number that were cared for free because they were unable to work	183
Weeks	183
Hours work to nonresident homeless men	1,844
Days' work to resident married men	2,101
Sewing Room and Laundry	482
Number of persons employed	482
Number of days' work	1,854
Day Nursery	209
Number of children cared for	209
Number of days cared	3,509
Visits Made	8,159
To families	8,159
To others in behalf of families	7,115
Problems Presented	1,928
Sickness (43%)	1,928
Unemployment (including insufficient em- ployment)	2,695
Old age	401
Insanity and feeble-mindedness	111
Infancy	65
Widowhood	1,012
Desertion and separation	624

If you want a part in
this great work use
the coupon below or
write us a letter.

1917
St. Louis Provident Association,
2221 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo.

I desire to have a part in the great work
you are doing. Enclosed you will find \$.....

I hope to have some part in the work
each year. Yours truly,

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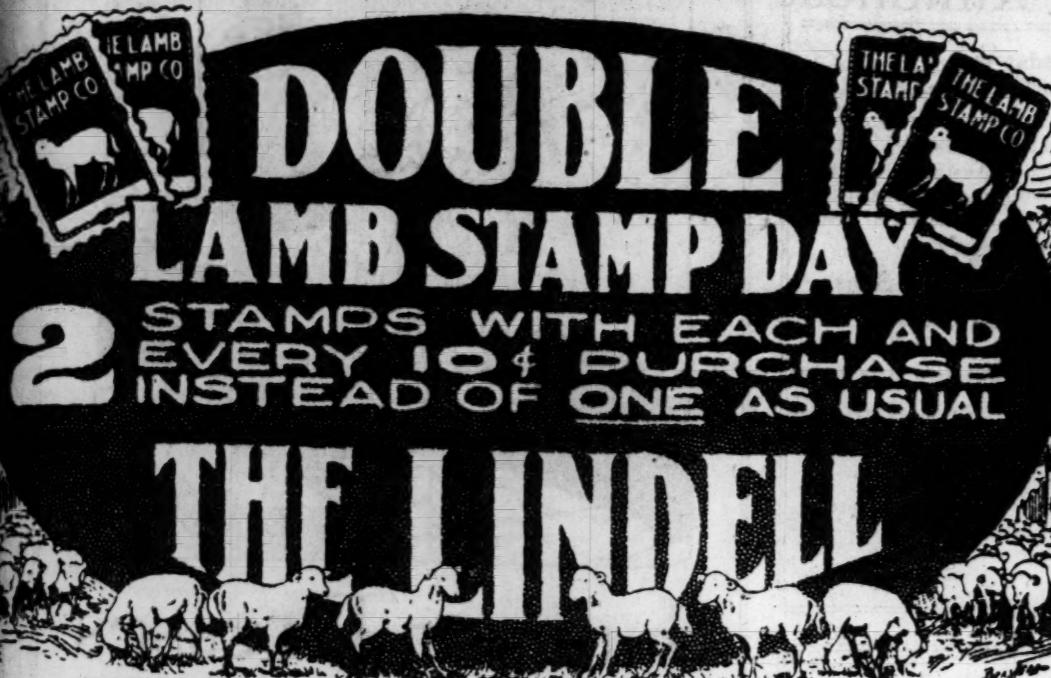
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DENT H. ROBERT DIES IN WEST
Former St. Louisian Was Publisher of San Francisco Examiner.
News dispatches received in St. Louis today told of the death of Dent Hayes Robert, publisher of the San Francisco Examiner, at his home in Coronado, Calif. He had been ill of stomach trouble several years.
Robert formerly was employed on St. Louis newspapers and left the city edit-

or's desk of the Republic to join the editorial staff of the New York Journal. In 1898 he went to San Francisco and became publisher of the Examiner. He was a director of the Panama Pacific Exposition. His wife was Miss Elizabeth Woodson of New York.

Robert was a son of the late Rev. P. G. Robert, for many years pastor of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Communion. He was a brother of Douglas W. Robert, a St. Louis lawyer.



Looking for Bargains?

Then The Lindell is the place for you, tomorrow! Every floor, every department will have special offerings—the kind of values that are rapidly bringing this store to the front.

Be Sure to Get Your Double Stamps

and don't neglect to visit every floor. You'll find the very things you want and need at prices lower than elsewhere and in many instances at G-R-E-A-T S-A-V-I-N-G-S.



Another Big Purchase
of Silk Skirts
Just Received by Express
From Our New York Buyer

438 New Silk Skirts

In a Mighty Sale at
\$3.95



ANOTHER WONDERFUL SALE OF

New Wash Skirts

Just five hundred in the lot of fine Gabardine Wash Skirts, with new pocket effects, frills and pearl buttons—all the new Summer models—go on sale Tuesday at this low price.....

Including extra sizes up to 37 waist measure.

\$1.00



Now for the Banner Sale of

New Silk Suits

Another fortunate purchase by our New York buyer. Just 78 new Silk Suits in this lot on sale tomorrow for the first time at.....

\$12.50



Beautiful White Voile Waists

Of unusual quality of voile in dozens of exquisite models—lace and fillet lace insertions, frill effects, broad bands of fine lace and dainty trimming—values up to \$3.00 for tomorrow's selling at.....

\$1.45

MISS ISABELLA WELLS BRIDE AT NOON TODAY

Guest List Limited at Marriage to Elizey M. Roberts at 4228 Lindell Boulevard.

MISS ISABELLA WELLS, daughter of former Mayor Rolla Wells and Elizey M. Roberts were married today at noon at the home of the bride, 4228 Lindell boulevard.

The Rev. John F. Cannon of the Westminster Presbyterian Church performed the ceremony and the guests were limited to the nearest relatives.

The bride wore a wedding gown of satin and tulle, simple in detail, as the Wells family are in mourning.

After the wedding, the couple followed the ceremony Mr. Roberts and his bride departed for the West, where they will spend a month, and upon their return they will occupy for the summer the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Calvin Roberts, on Partridge and Page avenues, near Clayton.

Social Items

Mrs. Dwight E. Aultman, who was formerly Miss Alma Hickok of St. Louis and whose husband, Col. Aultman, is on Gen. Pershing's staff in France, is in Washington, D. C., and will probably come here in the autumn for a visit when she takes her children, Miss Ruth Aultman, to enter Missouri University at Columbia. She and her daughter and young son, Dwight E. Jr., will go to West Point, N. Y., for a time and will spend the remainder of the summer at Cape May.

Mrs. Aultman is the daughter of Mrs. E. H. Hickok of 925 De Giveville avenue and has often visited her old home.

It was Col. Aultman who organized and trained the Cuban artillery during the American occupation and remained there at the request of the Cuban Government afterward to continue the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Fay of Springfield, Mo., who were spending part of their honeymoon in Europe, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Pinney of 43 Washington Avenue, have returned to their home. The bride was formerly Miss Ethel May Tooms of that place and the marriage took place here June 2.

Miss Marion Winstead, daughter of George W. Winstead of 4228 Maryland Avenue, will return Wednesday from Wellesley College, where she is a student.

Miss Marjorie Clarkson of 2 Windermere place has returned from Arcadia, Mo., where she attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Blanch Turner, to Kelton E. White, on June 9.

Mrs. Voluntine C. Turner of 559 Cabanne avenue also returned from Arcadia, Mo., where she has since been the wedding, bringing with her her second daughter, Miss Beatrice Turner. Miss Blanche Turner and Miss Ruth Combs remained there for another week.

Mrs. Crittenden McKinley of 33 Vandeventer place has her son, Silas Bent McKinley, who is a student at Harvard, with her for the summer.

Capt. and Mrs. Frederick B. Hennessy have arrived from Manila, P. I., and are visiting Mrs. Hennessy's sister, Mrs. Chouteau Walsh, at 4588 Maryland Avenue. Capt. Hennessy's regiment is the Third Field Artillery, and after his leave of absence here will be stationed at Governor's Island, New York harbor.

Miss Theodate Nugent, daughter of Mrs. Charles W. Nugent of 4519 Lindell boulevard, has gone to Detroit, Mich., to visit her sister, Mrs. de Witte Merriam.

Miss Dorothy Wood, daughter of Mrs. J. W. Wood of the Georgian Court Apartments and Edward H. Helmmann, were married Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock at St. Peter's Episcopal Church. The ceremony was followed by a bridal dinner for the nearest relatives and friends, who numbered about 25, at the home of the bride.

Miss Violet Wood, the bride's sister, was maid of honor, and R. B. Gebhardt was best man.

Mr. Helmmann and his bride have gone away to spend their honeymoon and upon their return they will be at home at 558 Ridge avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander G. Cochran of 7 Westmoreland place have gone to Harbor Point, Mich., to spend the summer. Their daughter, Mrs. Greenfield Sluder, and Dr. Sluder, will join them there Oct. 25.

Cards have been received here from Mr. and Mrs. John Starr of Akron, O., announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ann Wheeler Starr to Vandervoort Eastman Chittenden, which took place there on June 4.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Chittenden of 4525 Forest Park boulevard and has been residing in Buffalo, where he is engaged in business and where he will take his bride after their wedding trip.

Before leaving for your summer vacation, order the POST-DISPATCH sent to your summer home. It will remind you regularly if you give your order to your carrier, or notify us by mail, or you can phone if more convenient—Olive or Central 6000. POST-DISPATCH Circulation Department.

Louis S. Baer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sigmond Baer, 5340 Waterman avenue, has returned from Yale for his summer vacation.

Miss Margaret Hennings, the sister of Mrs. J. H. Bels of 4912 South Broadway, was married Saturday to John B. Ward at high noon at the Church of St. Thomas of Aquina, the Rev. Father J. Jones officiating. Miss Julie Tracy was maid of honor and Henry Bels was best man. The bride wore a white tail-

ored suit, white crepe hat and corsage bouquet. They will be at home in Chicago after Aug. 1.

Preaches an Hour on 100th Birthday, PITTSBURG, Pa., June 18.—The Rev. Albert Vogel celebrated his centennial

birthday yesterday by preaching a vigorous sermon one hour long in the First German Methodist Episcopal Church, of which he formerly was pastor.

Regis Hotel, reported to the police this morning that a \$235 diamond ring had been taken from his finger last night as he slept in his room.

Special offers in furnishings for that summer home in the Want pages.

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\$1.25 Black Silk Poplin
36-Inch Black Silk Poplin, the right weight for suits and dresses; per yard.

Ice Cream Cones 1c

\$1.00 Seamless Sheets
Size 72x24 in.; made of cotton; plain or seam; special for Tuesday, each (Main Floor).

19c Middy Emblems
Red, white and blue Emblems, for trimming sport blouses, etc., per card.

1c Chicken Dinner, 25c
\$1.75 Georgette Crepe
40 inches wide, in a great assortment of colors; all sizes; special for Tuesday, yard.

1c Boston Garters, 1c
J. & P. Coates
4-cord Sewing Thread, in black or white and all colors; special spools to a customer; spool, 4c, or 6c.

1c Wash Ties 8c
Voile Waists
Ladies' Voile Waists; all styles; on sale (2d Floor) st.

Muslim, Yard.... 8c
Children's Rompers
Tan and blue colors (Second Floor)

7c Shirt Waists.... 8c
49c Full-Fashioned Silk Hose
Double soles, high-spliced heels; slightly irregular (Main Floor)

1c Rompers 8c
Suspender
Police & Firemen's Suspenders; 25c value.

1c Naptha Soap 8c
Soft Collars
Arrow Brand Soft Collars, in all sizes.

7½c Muslin Drawers, 8c
50c Value Linoleum
100 yards Linoleum remnants, in many designs, patterned and solid; 25c to 50c yards to each customer.

1c Shoes, Pair.... 49c
\$3 Value Velvet Rugs
Very fine, in various designs; size 27x34; not made to order, but will be made to customer.

1c Women's Vests, 5c
40c Window Shades
Made of good opaque cloth on good rollers; many colors and sizes; will fit these last sizes each.

1c Butcher Linen, 13½c
98c Patriotic Middies
Just the thing for Fourth of July outfit; all sizes; special at (Main Floor)

1c Silk Hose 10c
Notion Sale
Sc. Hairpins, Sc. Buttons, Sc. Sockfasters, Sc. Shaving Soap (Base metal), 1c

1c Iron Irons... \$1.95
12½c Unbleached Muslin
Full 26 inches wide; very good quality; while 600 yards last a yard.

5c Screen Doors, all sizes, 98c
6c Caps and Sancers: fancy Oval shape, pure white, per pair
Garden Hose: 5-in. Edged length: 100 ft. Window Screens, plain edges ... \$2.49
1c SCHAPER STORES CO.

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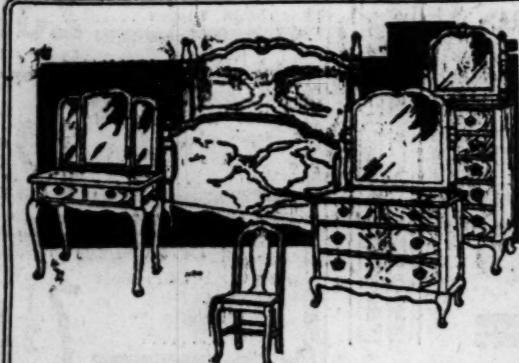
*The National Anthem is played every morning at 8:30 by the Famous-Barr Band—Main Floor Gallery.**A New Section for the Sale of Cut Flowers has recently been opened in the Basement near the Escalator.*

FAMOUS AND BARR CO.



Any form of thrift that helps you to have MORE of the needful things of life is a commendable form to observe; and Double Eagle Stamp day is an occasion that thousands of thrifty St. Louisans anticipate and appreciate.

Two of the valuable Eagle Stamps will be given with cash purchases tomorrow, instead of the usual one; and the special values that have been arranged for the day will be as interesting as they will be advantageous.



The Home-Makers' Furniture Sale

The large variety that this sale offers makes it impossible to publish a daily list of all the values; but in today's brief mention you can find many pieces that will help to furnish the home in a pleasanter, cozier way.

\$165 Bedroom Suites, \$125

Four pieces, as illustrated—Dresser, Chiffonier, Toilet Table and Bed. Choice of American walnut or genuine mahogany veneer—each case is equipped with dustproof bottom.

\$225 Dining-Room Suites, \$180.75

A complete ten-piece Suite—in Queen Anne design—of solid oak, beautifully quarter-sawn and finished in the Jacobean. Buffet top measures 60 inches—six chairs have genuine brown leather seats.

\$32.75 Dressers, \$24.75

Large Colonial designed Dresser or Chiffonier to match—of quartered oak or genuine mahogany; Bird's-eye maple or walnut veneer.

\$30.00 Poster Beds, \$18.50

Heavy four-poster Colonial Beds—turned from 4-inch stock, and finished in mahogany. Full or three-quarter sizes.

\$25.00 Brass Beds, \$18.50

Two-inch continuous post Brass Beds; with ten 1-inch filling rods. Also extra panel in head and foot—satin finish.

\$1.35 Sewing Tables, 98c

Legs fold under—top measures 18x36 inches, with yard measure printed top.

\$2.00 Porch Beds, \$6.85

All-steel frame Beds—finished in French gray enamel—rustproof link fabric top—legs fold under for storage purposes.

\$8.75 Fibre Chairs, \$6.85

Choice of chair or rocker—finished in brown.

\$3.75 Baby Cribs, \$2.35

Finished in white enamel, equipped with rubber tired wheels—spring included.

Chinese Hour Glass Chairs, \$7.85

Romantic and comfortable—for the porch or sun parlor.

Fifth Floor

Good Refrigerators—Lower Tuesday

—and many other home needs are also included in this splendid list of underpriced specials;

\$32.50 Leonard Porcelain-lined Refrigerators, side-boards, 30x12 ft., section moulded, non-kinkable Spring Hinges.....	\$6.75
\$32.50 Leonard Porcelain-lined Refrigerators, side-boards, 30x12 ft., all-metal Hinge Reels.....	\$6.75
Automatic Refrigerators, side-boards, white enamel lined.....	\$2.35
Automatic Refrigerators, side-boards, porcelain lined, at.....	\$2.35
Sellers' Sanitary Kitchen Cabinets, porcelain lined, at.....	\$2.35
Quick Meal Stove Enamel Gas Range.....	\$2.35
Bridge & Beach Combination Gas and Coal Range.....	\$2.35
at.....	\$2.35

Basement Gallery

Every Man and Young Man Who Wants the Most for His Money Will Get It in This JUNE SUIT SALE

Another way of demonstrating this store's far-sighted buying policy. Suits like these could not be bought to sell for \$14 today. The high prices of good fabrics prevent it. But—this special group of Summer suits was part of our early purchase, which was made at a time when we KNEW that prices would surely be higher. The benefit is yours—and we offer you your unrestricted choice of this assortment at the low price—

\$14.00

Consider what the assortments include: Wool cassimeres in pinch-back and Trench models—especially for the young men. Silk mixed worsteds in the more conservative styles; and plenty of good blue serges—something that is rarely offered in sales of this kind.

These suits are guaranteed to give satisfaction. They are accurately tailored throughout, finished in splendid fashion, and the range of sizes is sufficient for men of every shape and size. It is a safe prediction that no sale of the Summer season will offer as much in actual value and satisfaction. Your choice of the entire lot at one low price—\$14.

Second Floor



\$32.50 and \$35.00 Axminster Rugs, \$25.00

Both seamed and seamless, in the 9x12 size. A large assortment of the newest Oriental, floral and small all-over designs.

\$1.15 Inlaid Linoleum, 95c Sq. Yd.

A serviceable quality—colors go through to the back—in hardwood, tile and block patterns.

85c 4-Yard-Wide Linoleum, 69c Sq. Yd.

Will cover a large room without a seam—the E. and D. qualities, in a very large selection of desirable patterns.

Fourth Floor

Lace Curtains

\$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50 Kinds

Tuesday Special, Pair... \$2.88

Many beautiful designs—in Saxony, Egyptian, French Cable Net, Brussels Net, Marquise, Voile and Novelty Curtains—in white, ivory, ecru, beige and Arabian. 6 to 35 pairs of a pattern.

Poplin Drapery

36-inch—silk finished and reversible—in rose, gold, green, blue, linen and mulberry, with small damask figures or plain weave—for beautiful Summer hangings. Excep-

tional value at, yard.....

Fifth Floor

Men's Union Suits

Specially at 55c

Made of large plaid or pin-striped nainsook—in athletic style—with round or V-neck, closed crotch and webbing inseam and back.

Main Floor, Aisle 7

Lower Prices Here on White Goods

Note that these are the exact weaves and styles that are needed for Summer waists, skirts, suits and frocks. And the saving will be doubly welcome on that account.

50c Dress Voile, 39c

44 inches wide—splendid quality—in all white—for shirt waists, dresses and children's wear.

White Organdie, 35c

Sheer finished organdie—launders beautifully—for dainty waists and dresses.

Gabardine, 50c

Fine cotton soft-finish Gabardine—excellent for skirts and cutting suits.

Mercerized Batiste, 24c

40 inches wide—soft, silky finish—very popular for dainty underwear or sheer waists.

Fifth Floor

Women's \$2 to \$2.50 Kimonos

Tuesday Special, \$1.59

One attractive style is of Jap. crepe with an embroidered design. This in pink, blue or helio. Another is of white dotted Swiss, shirred at the waist and finished with pink or blue satin facing. Both are exceptionally good.

\$1.50 White Dotted Swiss Kimonos, \$1.19

Loose styles—finished with pink or blue scallops. As attractive as they are comfortable.

Japanese Combing Sacques, 59c to \$1.25

Of Japanese crepe, with full sleeves and fancy trimming. Very useful—and equally inexpensive.

Third Floor

Many of the Best Nemo Corsets

Will Be Higher in Price on July 2d.

The makers of Nemo Corsets have held steadfastly to one principle—Nemo quality will never be lowered. Consequently the rise in the prices of all materials that enter into corset making necessitates an increase in the selling price of Nemo Corsets and on July 2nd many of the popular numbers will advance.

We have a complete stock of Nemo Corsets on hand at present and the woman who wishes to practice a commendable form of economy will wisely provide for the future before the prices advance.

July 2nd, remember, is the day announced. Don't wait until it is too late.

Fifth Floor



Summer Dresses

That Suggest Daintiness and Practicality in the Most Pleasing and Positive Ways.

Hundreds of them—of every conceivable color and combination—ginghams—voiles—organdies—nets—silks—everything!

And what a wealth of grace and charm they bring! The filmy laces, the colorful trimming touches, the fanciful little features of fashion—every point about them suggests Summer daintiness, comfort and service.

For morning wear—for afternoons—for out-of-door sports—and for all dressier occasions—these are the frocks that will serve the best purposes and bring the most lasting satisfaction. The largest groups we have ever shown at—

**\$3.95 \$5.98 \$10
\$12.75 and Up to \$55**

Third Floor

The Value-Giving Demonstration Sale in the Basement Economy Store Offers

Wash Suits

In Women's and Misses Sizes.....

\$4.85



These are splendid Summer Suits for all practical purposes. They are made of gabardines, nicely tailored, and the style features are in keeping with the season's best.

Consider the cost of the materials that enter into these Suits and you'll have a splendid idea of their exceptional value. All sizes from 14 to 44—which naturally means a perfect-fitting garment for every person. Just for Tuesday, remember—at **\$4.85**.

Basement Economy Store

3000 MEN'S SHIRTS

In Tuesday's Sale at.....

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Purchased several months ago—equal in every essential point to the usual \$1 to \$1.50 kinds. Of madras, soisette, percale, cheviot and such—in stripes, checks and plain colors. Laundered or soft cuffs—or sport styles if you prefer. Sizes 13½ to 17½. Sport shirt sizes 13½ to 16. Exceptional at **88c**.

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Men's Union Suits

Summer weight—white ribbed cotton and checked nainsook Union Suits—athletic style—in knee length. Some slight seconds; 3 for \$1, or each.....

35c

Men's Underwear, 33c
Babigrass Shirts and Drawers—shirts made with long and short sleeves—drawers with double seats and ankle length.

Men's Cotton Socks, 12½c
Made of good quality, light weight cotton, in black and white—slight seconds.

Summer Union Suits at 33c
For boys and misses—made of fine, white ribbed cotton—Boys' Suits made with short sleeves and knee length. Misses are crew neck and sleeveless—slight seconds.

Men's Cotton Hose, 14c
Made of good quality, light weight cotton, with wide ribbed cotton—Boys' Suits made with short sleeves and knee length. Misses are crew neck and sleeveless—slight seconds.

White Voile, 26c
40 inches wide—mercerized finish—not over 10 yards to each customer.

All-Linen Crash, 18c
"Scotch Barnsley"—with red border. Splendid!

White Galatea, 15c
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Post-Dispatch Wants
Automobile Ads were printed in the Post-Dispatch last month.
More than appears in the FOUR other St. Louis newspapers COMBINED.

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ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

ST. LOUIS, MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 18, 1917.—PART TWO.

CHILDREN OF CLARK SCHOOL AID BABIES

Their Contribution First of Its Kind Received for Milk and Ice Fund.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Previously acknowledged: \$831.00
In the list of acknowledgments of contributions to the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund in yesterday's Post-Dispatch, was one of \$1.55 by children of Clark School, at Bates Avenue and Union boulevard. This was the second donation in that form to the cause of the poor little infants, although probably a large majority of them composing the baby-savers never attend the public schools. The contribution is cumulative evidence of the appeal in behalf of the tender district infants, with their slender hold upon health and life when heat and poverty assail them. It is steadily extending its scope and power.

A few of the enterprises organized and carried forward to splendid success by girls and boys for the Milk and Ice Fund are operated before the close of the school season, but many of them are initiated while the young people are still in the classrooms and their time freely claimed by studies. During that period, also, plans are made for conducting them to a field during vacation, and this is now in force; the campaign is expected to be marked by a spirit and enthusiasm that will steadily add the fund into impressive proportions.

ST. LOUIS AMBULANCE UNIT TO DRIVE TRUCKS

Members Will Haul Supplies for French Army Instead of Wounded Soldiers.

Members of the Washington University ambulance unit, which left St. Louis May 19 for France, for the purpose of driving army ambulances, will instead drive motor trucks, loaded with food, ammunition and equipment for the French army. This was made known in a cablegram to Prof. John L. Lowes of Washington University, whose son is a member of the unit, and in a letter from E. D. Sleeper of Boston, American representative of the American Field Service in France.

Sleeper said in his letter that the name of the American Ambulance Field Service in France had been changed by dropping the word "ambulance." The members will henceforth be used for other than ambulance purposes, and the St. Louis unit will probably all be used in transport service, as the work of driving food and munition trucks is called. Dr. Lowes sent a copy of Sleeper's letter to the parents of each member of the unit, that they might understand the reason for the changed character of the service in which the youths are to be used. Dr. Lowes sent his son a cablegram approving of his serving in the transport work, and he notified Sleeper that the unit should be used in whatever service it was needed.

In his letter of explanation Sleeper said there was no present need for the services of the youths as ambulance drivers, owing to labor and shipping troubles which have kept the ambulances from being sent to France and assembled there.

On the other hand, he said, there was great need for them as transport drivers, in order to release the Frenchmen now performing this service for agricultural work.

LAME NEGRO BEATEN ON CAR

Nelson Cooper, 66 years old, a lame negro, of 2550 Clark avenue, St. Louis, was badly beaten last night on a Colmar Avenue car at Twenty-first street and Lincoln Avenue, East St. Louis, after he had refused to give a white woman his seat. He was thrown from the car, and was found on the street. Six weeks ago, when she was helping her husband in his saloon, Mrs. Petrovsky shot at two holdup men who

WOMAN WHO SHOT HOLDUP MAN SHOOTS HER-HUSBAND

Mrs. Anna Petrovsky Wounds Saloon Keeper in Shoulder When He Refuses to Come to Dinner.

Mrs. Anna Petrovsky, 42 years old, shot and seriously wounded her husband, Mathias Petrovsky, 42, a saloonkeeper, at their home, 150 South Third street, yesterday, when he refused to come to dinner. The bullet went through Petrovsky's right shoulder.

She told the police that she and her husband had quarreled frequently because he did not treat her well, and that she had shot at him a few weeks before after a quarrel.

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filed. Later one of the men was found in a nearby livery stable, shot in the left leg.

Maj. James Bourke Kills Self. and killed himself at his home here last night. He had been suffering from a mental breakdown. Maj. Bourke was born in Iowa and was a graduate of Rush Medical College and the Army Medical School.

Easy to Plan for That Outing

With the Resorts and Country Board columns on the first want pages, especially Sunday, Post-Dispatch ROOM and BOARD Wants 8940 last month. More than the THREE nearest St. Louis 206 newspapers combined.

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—produced of only the most carefully selected materials,

—have so far eclipsed every other make of tire that

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Pay for taste—not for Import Duty

None of your money gets away from you to pay for Import Duty when you smoke Piedmonts.

Because Piedmonts, being Virginia tobacco, pay no import duty and so they can put that money into better quality tobacco.

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JOSEPH PULITZER.

April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Food and Land Values.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
I read with interest your editorial of May 50, referring to food shortage and its relation to land monopoly. There is a general opinion that there is plenty available land in the West. There is some, but where it may be obtained access to the markets discounts the profit of cultivating it. The speculator has anticipated the set-back wherever market facilities and available land are within reach of each other.

When I say speculator I mean as well farmers who cultivate a small portion of owned land and are holding the rest for a rise. This is really the worst obstacle. They frequently do not even feed it, as Arizona taxes fences particularly. The land must be held for a rise, not for cultivation, for following the course of least resistance, and the result is that real farms are scattered, with enormous cost of roads and public improvements. It makes the school question particularly a difficult problem. Farms and markets must exist in conjunction with each other, and this speculation prevents.

Land in this valley has steadily risen since high prices obtained, so that a person buying it can make no more under present high prices than before. It kills any effort to increase acreage here. I accidentally discovered 18 54-100 acres for rent with another farmer who am pricing up on it, not one man of a hundred will be lucky as I have been. Of course, land monopoly boosts the price of land also, but that does not blind me to the fact that it is the greatest wrong that exists. I am sorry that special interests in Missouri threw dust into the eyes of your people when the question was up in your State. They played the game of your predatory interests.

Under a land value tax land ownership would be like the ownership of a horse. If the owner has good use for it, it will pay for itself and profit; but if the owner does not use it, it will not hold off. Farmers here generally have their own circumstances to make a living and that of several other families also, and it drives those who are cheated out of their part of our natural resources into the mass of employees where they cut each other's throats to support their families. I know at least a dozen young men who would have remained here if such conditions did not exist. They are competing for jobs now. I am glad that the labor organizations are beginning to see this. They can help the "scab" stay at home on a farm by using their best efforts to break the strange hold of the land speculator.

N. A. VYNE
Camp Verde, Ariz.

Should Speed Airplane Building.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
If 100,000 air machines can be made in a few months, as is stated in your editorial of the 11th inst. and if they are as effective as the 15 German planes which recently visited London, they would indeed end the war. Let the Government make the parts of 100,000 machines, which could be turned out in the city of Detroit and other cities in less than 60 days, and probably be in Europe for service in 90 days.

AUTO MECHANIC.

Grammar Schools Not Strict Enough.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
A few weeks ago in one of the high schools in St. Louis a general examination in grammar was held for the sixth-term students. If I have been correctly informed, 38 of this class failed to pass. Some of these students have since taken the examination in the six-term English course and have passed, but still, after their failure to pass the former examination, have been flunked for this semester's work. This state of affairs is rather surprising, inasmuch as these students had previously been passed in five terms of English by the faculty of that school.

The question is—why not teach the children their grammar before they get to the high school? Why make the children pay for a mistake made by the School Board in not making the requirements strict enough in the first part of their education? We are downtown in the business world hear every day the statement that high-school graduates can't either spell correctly nor punctuate well, or can't either read or write correctly.

INTERESTED IN ONE OF THE STUDENTS WHO FAILED.

Where Retribution Belongs.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Let not our feelings be against those who are compelled to commit the murderous raids upon the innocent women and children in London, but let us all hope and pray to our "Supreme Architect" of this universe that all the misery and suffering brought upon those unfortunate to satisfy the ambition of the Kaiser to conquer the world, be experienced by the Kaiser and his "loved ones" before their days of rest in eternity come.

AN AMERICAN CITIZEN.

AN ALL-AMERICAN SERVICE

Without in any degree abating our ardent support of and enthusiasm for the work of the American Red Cross, we protest against several statements of Henry P. Davison, chairman of the War Council of the American National Red Cross, indicating partisan attitude and action by the Red Cross in the war.

We cannot indorse his statement that "the insignia of the American Red Cross in the fields will operate exclusively in favor of the American army and our allies" and although it will "not decline to give first aid to a wounded soldier of the allies," it is its "duty" to defeat the enemy, and similar expressions.

When we consider that several millions of enemy persons are prisoners in Germany, it will be seen that there is ample reason to fear that the savage brutalities of the German militarists which have so far shocked the world are yet to be outdone by more monstrous acts.

JAPAN'S WELCOME DELEGATION.

No presumption of special difficulties can attach to Japan's decision to send an official delegation to America. To dispatch plenipotentiaries to America is much in vogue among entente Governments just now and for Japan, a rather passive member of the entente for two years past, to follow their example must be accepted by the world as a matter of course.

No other entente delegation has come with a larger promise of practical usefulness than the promise Japan's will have. Conferences here may result in greater Japanese activity in the remaining stages of the war, European objections having previously confined her military assistance to Asia. Adjustments must also be looked to during the long years after war, when the United States will continue the chief Power on one side and Japan the chief Power on the other side of the Pacific. Dispositions that will remove small causes of irritation before they grow into serious ones are as necessary to the future peace of the world as a right settlement of the war's greater issues.

As long as Japanese opinion remains so sensitive as to be upset by a garbled report of an American President's note to China—as long as that opinion is prepared to accept such a garbled report as genuine and to base grave conclusions on the imposition—much can be done to improve our relations with the transpacific neighbor.

PICKING IRISH CONSTITUTION MAKERS.

The wife difference between the American and the English way of doing things is shown in the plan for creating the convention of 101 delegates which is to frame a Constitution for Ireland.

Each County Council, of which there are 26, and each Borough Council is to send its chairman as a delegate to the convention. John Redmond and Secretary John Lonsdale of the Unionists are personally to name five delegates each to the convention. Four Catholic and two Anglican prelates and the Presbyterian Moderator for the island will form seven more delegates. The Irish labor unions and the Dublin, Belfast and Cork Chambers of Commerce will name delegates. Five members will be selected by the Sinn Feiners, five by the Unionist Alliance, 10 from the representative Irish peers and 15 by the London ministry.

Missouri has many chairmen of Boards of Aldermen and of county boards who, however satisfactory they may be in their present jobs, would live to unheard-of ages before they would ever be selected to help in revising the State Constitution. Furthermore, ideas here would have to undergo a remarkable change before the incumbents of high ecclesiastical station would be considered ex-officio members of a constitutional convention or labor unions as such vested with the prerogative of electing delegates or political leaders permitted to send delegates as their personal representatives.

ZIAHAW AND PERESHEENYA.

The French are having as much trouble getting the pronunciation of Gen. Pershing's name as Americans had with the name of Gen. Joffre. And the American reporters are having as much difficulty trying to represent the linguistic difficulties of the French in this case as they had in representing our own linguistic difficulties in the other.

Each language has sounds that cannot be phonetically illustrated in the other. The French throat can no more accommodate the "ing" ending than the American throat can accommodate the "n" ending. The "Joff" was as hard, but no harder, to us than the "Persh" is to them.

Happily the principal trouble is one of pronunciation "Peresheenya" and "Ziahaw" will be both hard for the Teuton to masticate before the world hears the last of these two first-class fighting men.

INDEMNITIES OR RUIN.

The speech made in Baden Landtag by Dr. J. Reinhold, Finance Minister of the Grand Duchy, in which he stated that the war debt of the empire was becoming unmanageable, combined with the renewed hectic cries for indemnities throughout Germany, shows clearly that the black shadow of national bankruptcy is lowering on the country. Confiscation, the last resort of a desperate nation, is near.

"It is necessary," Reinhold told the Landtag, "to consider a plan for a heavy levy on all property to reduce the war debt to manageable proportions. We must have an indemnity. In a few months our war outlay will have reached 100,000,000 marks."

These prisoners are a portion of the abominated civilian population of Belgium carried off into Germany for enforced labor of a military nature, under the Von Bissing regime. It has been no secret that starvation is the common fate of all loyal Belgians thus enslaved who refuse to work and become traitors to their own country.

Germany is alone among the civilized states of the world in asserting, in article 60 of Kriegsbrauch im Landkrieg, the General Staff Manual, the war right to massacre prisoners, "in case of imperative necessity."

It is almost idle today to discuss legal formulas in their application to a state whose only law is the will of its autocratic ruler, but it is not unprofitable to point out that the moral progress of the past century has everywhere else established the principle that a quasi-contract is created between the captor and the prisoner, from the moment of capture, under which the latter's life is assured. He can forfeit his right to protection only through his own renewed active resistance.

A captor unable to guard prisoners must release them, except, possibly, in the heat of action. Every civilized state has conformed to this humane principle during the last hundred years. The Brit-

ish frequently set Russian prisoners free in the Crimea, under such circumstances. It was the uniform practice of the Boers in 1900 to release British prisoners whom they could not guard, after stripping them of their clothes, which they needed, and of their arms.

It is true that there have been some instances of wholesale destruction of prisoners since Napoleon slaughtered 4000 at Jaffa in 1799, notably when 11,000 men of all ranks of the republican army of Mexico were shot down in cold blood by the imperialist army of Maximilian in 1865. Yet no great civilized state would stoop to cite this as an authoritative indication of the survival of this ancient, barbarous, so-called war right.

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JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
by Clark Adams

THE WEEKLY WAR SUMMARY.</

TO QUERIES.

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CULTURE.
Goyland's lotion
by a capable and honest
man is difficult. Many
nourishing skin food,
soaps and it will gradually
and long time are
needed.

Milk is rubbed into
the soft skin and allowed
to be washed in milk.
The used skin food
is gradually
declared proof against
hydrogen and glycerin
constitute a soothing
loction of sunburn, and will not
be diluted with glycerin
is also used with good
effect to whiten skin.

SATURDAY.
1913. Friday.

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were 10,000 military, and
from many states at
the grave. The report
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soak garments in strong
laundry.

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rounding stuff. * * *
A fresh and still wet, can
dipping hydrogen peroxide
sins, cold water and soap

HINTS.

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for concentrated food
milk, which serves to
reinforce the point
to use proprietary foods,
convenient and simple to
drink of milk and a pint
an ounce and a half of
water for each hour's
"Good milk,
is superior to any article.
Dr. Levy advocates long
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That Cardinal Pennant Bee Is Buzzing---Getting Ready to Sting Us Again?

NEW MEN IMPROVE CARDINALS; MOUND STARS ARE NEEDED

With Many Doubleheaders Coming, Huggins' Pitching Staff Seems Insufficient.

PENNANT BEE BUZZING

Hustling St. Louisans' Rise to Third Place Encourages Local Fans.

By W. J. O'Connor.

By winning nine out of 15 games from Eastern clubs, in the intersectional series just completed, the Cardinals have blazed their way into third place and are thundering along at such a pace that their followers are now speculating on what it is that Huggins needs to become a serious pennant pretender.

It has, friends, reached that stage. The pennant bee is beginning to buzz, because even old Cyrus Cynic himself has been forced to admit that the collection of young Nervy Nats are as harmless as hungry timber wolves, once they begin to impinge the ash on the horizon.

They possess the batting punch, are showing a more finished fielding game daily, and are thoroughly possessed of the "look" of ease and winning hearts. The addition of Paulette and Baird should strengthen the team. Next up, though, may well hit Hornsby or Cruise or Smith, but they are a vast improvement added over their predecessors and Huggins was worried for a time over his defensive strength.

In the last nine games, for instance, the Cardinals have won 10 and lost one, playing making three yesterday that polled Ames' out of as many tight holes.

Hornsky's vast improvement alone shows that the team is on the same plane as that of Jack Miller has solidified the keystone combination, without which no team can be seriously considered.

Defense Now Satisfactory.

There is little reason to worry, therefore, about the play afield. There is absolutely no reason to do anything but rejoice and scream the praises of the team's attack; but when we come down to the pitching problem, that's something else again, as Herman Seckamp would say.

Since Bob Steele has tinned the Cardinals, he has reduced them to 16 pitchers to 16, exclusive of two untested youngsters—Atkinson and Murchison—who are merely halting here on their way to the big leagues. He has the minimum staff of any major league club and when the "double-header days" come, Huggins will be up against it.

Given a try major league pitcher, who could go in there now and do his bit alongside of Ames, Doak, Meadows and others, the Cards will be equipped for a pennant drive and a move to those Prussians of Broadway as well as the peaceful Patromans of the City of Dreams.

Where the Trouble Lies.

Just now Horstman is indisposed, Meadows, too, has been off his feed, while Watson is effective only against the Reds. That Huggins has been able to do as well as he has done speaks volumes in his favor.

The Cards are immediately confronting the Cards is not an easy one. They begin a three-game series today against the Pirates. Then come the Reds for five games. After that the Cubs, who are doing so well, for six games in three days.

That will be the supreme test for the Cards, because they must find a man to share a dependable pitcher before the Chicago series, which will be followed by an Eastern invasion involving also the Browns and the Cards, who hardly be able to endure a pennant grind. Given one pitcher, the Cardinals also would have to be given "some room."

They have the essential requisites of a "winner-gameness" and a batting punch. They need a pitcher.

Snyder Comes to Life.

Frank Snyder got two hits yesterday, and this may be a sort of warning of what is to come. He has been hitting all day, full ball after the storm in Snyder's "hit" column. He has been in a terrible slump for the past month, but he is ice the rest day, and should be repeatable.

If he continues hitting, the Cards will be prepared for a temporary slump by any one of the other players.

However, it is a fact that Tommy Long who still has a lowly average is the best hitting player against the East, closing yesterday.

He has been hitting to bat 51 times (officially) and made 18 hits. That's a mere number of averaging .353, and will be remembered as the best hitting player in the late offensive. Just a little help from the alien pitcher will all go to war for a real.

Then the floodgates opened and rain came in torrents. Miller pulled Hornsby single. Cruise singled. So did Snyder. Ames failed to get up, and the game was almost a riot in "rooters" row.

Marquard came back for more in the second. Back strength him, and he single. So did Cruise. Olson made a sensational capture of Long's single, and the rain turned a double play or they would be bunting yet.

Ames pitched for the town team and he was too good for any use. Three double-plays made his life easier in the early rounds, so he let down and merely loafed after the third inning. For that reason Brooklyn bunched three hits in the fifth and scored its only run. But just to prove that he was good Ames allowed the Cards to score four in the sixth with one out. Then he gave up Wheat and Cutshaw on aces and ended pop.

This game was made to order for the 12,000 fans who rallied to the Cardinal banner. In a good humor by a wonderful throw from

TODAY'S IF TABLE

Standing of the Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Loss.
CLUBS	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Loss.
New York	25	17	.593	670	660
Philadelphia	29	19	.587	625	604
CARDINALS	28	20	.548	580	560
Baltimore	26	22	.520	550	530
Cincinnati	26	21	.494	468	418
Boston	24	23	.480	423	404
Brown	20	29	.407	422	400
Pittsburg	18	33	.327	340	320

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Loss.
CLUBS	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Loss.
Chicago	35	17	.667	670	660
New York	21	21	.550	580	590
Cleveland	28	20	.560	540	491
Albion	21	29	.412	423	404
BROWNS	21	30	.397	385	400
Philadelphia	18	31	.307	340	320
Washington	16	33	.237	340	320

Yesterday's Results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE	Cardinals	W.	15-12	Brooklyn	1-2	Baltimore
Ames	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hornsky	1	0	0	1	0	0
Miller	1	0	0	1	0	0
Steele	1	0	0	1	0	0
Long	1	0	0	1	0	0
Watson	1	0	0	1	0	0
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MARKETS AND FINANCE-SALES AND LATEST QUOTATIONS

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WILL PLAY
NATIONAL OPEN
URNAMENT

District Golf Cham-
pion Chick Evans'
This Week.

R ALSO GOING

In Country Club
Allen West Will
Triple A Star.

sey and G. H. Walker, runner-up, respectively St. Louis District champion, and Allen T. Johnston Club will depart Philadelphia, where they in- this week in the championship of the U.S.

tournament will be Whittemarsh Valley Links, and will begin

Virile will have only before the big drive.

Boys, but that mat-

none of the St. Louis

entertains any serious

home the title. How-

been shooting almost

spots, over the local

top his game at Phil-

surprise many of the

in-

MAN ON TRIAL AS POISONER

of Killing Man Who Paid in Advance for Life Care.

HARTFORD, Conn., June 18.—Accused of murdering by poison Frank R. Andrews, an inmate of her mother's home for the aged whose maintenance had been paid for in advance, Mrs. Amy F. Archer-Gilligan, proprietor of the Archer home for the Elderly People at Windsor, was tried on trial here today.

During several years more than 20

old men died among

the inmates of the Archer home under similar circumstances. Mrs. Archer-Gilligan's plan was to care for persons through their declining years

by fixed sums, usually about \$1,000.

Several of those who died suddenly,

in the case of Andrews, had been provided for in advance. Inmates pay highly of the home and the care day received.

STIFF CALL MONEY RATE LAYS HEAVY HAND ON STOCKS

Stocks and Coppers Suffer Sharp Declines, Traders Watching War Tax Developments.

New York Stock Quotations
Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by G. H. Walker & Co., 307 Fourth Street, New York, June 18.

STOCKS.	Price	Open	High	Low	Noes
Alaska Gold.	55	54	54	53	15
Am. Sweet Sugar.	95	95	94	94	10
Am. Gas. & W.	125	125	125	125	40
Am. C. & P.	88	88	88	88	10
Am. C. & P. pfds.	70	70	70	70	10
Am. Zinc com.	72	72	72	71	10
Am. Wool com.	72	71	71	70	10
Am. Sugar com.	107	107	107	107	10
Am. Copper	120	120	120	120	10
A. & G. 10%	84	84	83	83	10
B. & O.	100	100	100	100	10
Beth. Wash. Loc.	65	65	65	65	10
Butte & Sup.	145	145	140	140	10
C. & P. com.	52	52	52	52	10
Cuban Cane S.	95	95	95	95	10
China Copper	110	110	110	110	10
China Copper	55	55	55	55	10
Crucible Steel	100	100	100	100	10
F. P. Steel	32	32	31	31	10
Dana & H.	110	110	110	109	10
Erie. com.	22	22	21	21	10
Erie. 1st pfds.	22	22	21	21	10
Gulf States Steel	112	112	112	112	10
G. M. Corp.	35	35	35	35	10
K. C. & P. Corp.	61	61	61	61	10
Lake Steel Corp.	45	45	45	45	10
Lehigh & Nav.	64	64	63	63	10
Miami Copper	45	45	45	45	10
M. & M. com.	50	50	50	50	10
M. & T. Corp.	50	50	50	50	10
M. & T. 1st pfds.	50	50	50	50	10
M. & T. W. I.	30	30	29	29	10
N. Am. Enam.	30	30	30	30	10
N. Y. & N. P. pfds.	40	40	40	40	10
N. Y. & N. P. 2d pfds.	24	24	24	24	10
N. Y. & Central	92	92	92	92	10
Ohio Gas	125	125	125	125	10
Oil & Gas	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 1st pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 2d pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 3d pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 4th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 5th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 6th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 7th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 8th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 9th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 10th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 11th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
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Oil & Gas 18th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 19th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 20th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 21st pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
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Oil & Gas 45th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 46th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 47th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 48th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 49th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
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Oil & Gas 64th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 65th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 66th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 67th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 68th pfds.	130	130	130	130	10
Oil & Gas 69th pfds.	130	130	130</td		

**BILLY SUNDAY, IN NEW YORK
ENDS HIS GREATEST REVIVAL**

**Offering to Evangelist Is \$14,000
Which He Says Will Go to Red
Cross and Y. M. C. A.; to Rest
Until September.**

**NEW YORK, June 18.—Billy Sunday
waved his farewell to New York last
night from the platform of his tabernacle at the end of the greatest session
of the greatest revival he ever had in
his 20 years of preaching. An audience
estimated at 24,000 cheered him
with handkerchiefs and bade him
come again.**

**As a free will offering to him New
York gave \$14,000 more than twice what
any other city gave. The evangelist
said in his first address on April 8 that
he would divide the money equally be-
tween the American Red Cross and the
Y. M. C. A.**

**At his final meeting 3325 "hit the
trail," making a total for three meet-
ings of 7228. Boston is the city where
Sunday made his best previous success.**

It gave him \$54,000 and 48,900 trial tithes.

Both records now stand. Sunday was surrounded by the plat-
form by a number of his Executive
Committee: John D. Rockefeller Jr.,
Eben E. O'Neil, Arthur M. Harris, James
M. Spears and the other prominent men
of affairs who invited him here. As he
emerged from the tabernacle another
waiting crowd cheered him.

**A telegram from Gov. Whitman, re-
ceived and read just before the close
of the meeting, said: "The people of
New York City and State recognize and
appreciate this great service you have
rendered."**

**Sunday started today for his home in
Winona Lake, Ind., to rest until Sep-
tember, when he will open meetings at
Los Angeles.**

**AUTOISTS WITHOUT 1917
LICENSES BEING ARRESTED**

**POLICE Round Up Drivers in Central
and Carr Districts Work in
Other Sections Later.**

**Under orders issued last week by Chief
of Police Young, owners of automobiles
and other vehicles who have failed to
take out 1917 city licenses were arrested
today in the Central and Carr Districts.**

**Last year the roundup began all over
the city on the same day. This year,
to accommodate the police courts and
prevent crowding, different days are set
for different districts.**

**Arrests will be made tomorrow in the
Jacobs and Dayton Districts, Wednes-
day in the Newstead, Page and Deer
Districts, Thursday in the Carondelet,
North Market and Mount Districts;**

**Friday in the Wydown and Angelic
Districts, and Saturday in the South
and Magnolia Districts. After that
there will be two for making ar-
rests all over the city.**

**Up to 9 o'clock this morning 12 ar-
rests had been made in the Central
District and 15 in the Carr District.**

**ROOT COMMISSION VISITS
WINTER PALACE IN PETROGRAD**

**Inspect Private Apartments of For-
mer Emperor After Attending
Services in Imperial Chapel.**

**PETROGRAD, June 18.—The members
of the Root commission attended service
in the imperial chapel of the Winter
Palace today and afterward made a tour
of the gigantic building, much of which
is now in use as a military hospital.**

**Root and his associates talked with
wounded soldiers and nurses occupying
the great banquet halls and drawing
rooms of the palace. They inspected
the paintings and sculpture of the im-
perial galleries, passing hundreds of
peasants who were being shown through
the palace, hitherto closed to the pub-
lic.**

**The extreme democracy and orderliness
of the Russians was shown by the
utter lack of precautions to guard the
art treasures of the palace. The for-
mer Emperor's private apartments were
opened for public inspection. Crowds
passed quietly through the apartments
where Alexander II exploded from the
effects of a bomb explosion, and where
the personal belongings of the for-
mer Emperor which have not been dis-
covered are still there.**

**Rear Admiral Glemon and his wife
left Petrograd last night for Sebastopol,
accompanied by Russian officers, to
visit the Black Sea fleet.**

CITY SWIMMING POOLS OPEN

**Fairground swimming pool, which
opened for the season Saturday noon,
was crowded all day Sunday by men and
women bathers. Main amphithe pool also
opened Saturday. It is expected that
Marquette pool, in South St. Louis, will
be ready for use next Saturday.**

**Hereafter the schedule at Fairground
pool will be: Women admitted Tuesday
evening and men in the afternoon, with
mixed parties at night. Wednesdays,
Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sun-
days the hours for men will be from 11
a. m. to 1 p. m., 2 to 3, 4 to 6, 7 to 8
and 9 to 10 p. m. Women's hours will be
from 9 to 11 a. m., and from 3 to 4 p. m.**

Coal Trust Trial Begins.

**NEW YORK, June 18.—The trial of 108
corporations and 64 individuals accused
of violating the Sherman anti-trust law
in connection with the mining and sell-
ing of semi-bituminous coal in Vir-
ginia and West Virginia, was begun in
the Federal Court here today.**

Motorman Kills Himself.

**Thomas Cummings, 50 years old, a mo-
torman for the United Railways Co., last
night killed himself in his room in a
boarding house at 6042 Suburban av-
enue by cutting his throat. In one of
several notes he wrote he said nervous-
ness caused him to end his life. In a
note to his brother he directed that half
a bank deposit of \$35 be used to pay
for a mass to be said for him.**

DEATHS

**BOCK—Entered into rest on Sunday,
June 17, 1917, at 7:45 p. m., Julia
Bock (nee Thesby), beloved wife of
George Bock, and Mrs. Catherine
Sandos, in her forty-eighth year.**

**Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m.
from Meek & Dickman's Chapel,
1018 Easton Avenue, to St. Alphonsus
Catholic Cemetery. Friends invited.
(c)**

DEATHS

**BEWIG—Entered into rest Monday,
June 18, 1917, at 5 a. m., William
John Henry Bewig, after a short ill-
ness, son of Ed. K. Bewig (nee Woermann), dear fa-
ther of Ida F. Meyer (nee Bewig),
Edward J. Lyons (nee Bewig),
Edward H. William, Harry C. Arthur
C. Walter E. O., Hulda J. E. brother
of Elmer F. Bewig and Edward C. O.
and grandfather, aged 67 years 3 months
8 days.**

**BOOK—Lost, Corina, Spanish and English
books. Reward, \$100. Box 264 Evans av.**

**BRECHER—Lost, bracelet. Reward, \$100.
Box 264 Evans av.**

**BRONCH—Lost, diamond-encrusted lattice
ring. Reward, \$100. Box 264 Evans av.**

**CUMMINS—Entered into rest on Sun-
day, June 17, 1917, Thomas Cum-
mins, Funeral service from Arthur J. Donnelly
Funeral parlor, Twenty-first and Wash streets. Due notice of time will
be given. Louisville (Ky.) papers please copy.
(c)**

**DEIDERICH—On Saturday, June 18,
1917, at 2 p. m., Eileen Diederich, be-
loved daughter of Andrew Diederich
and Frank de Sales Diederich; sister of
Frank and Thomas Diederich; mother
of Eileen, Thomas, and Andrew.
(c)**

**FLYNN—On Monday, June 18, 1917,
Margaret Flynn, beloved wife of
John Flynn, and mother of
Eileen, Thomas, and Andrew.
(c)**

**HUBBELL—Entered into rest on Sun-
day, June 18, 1917, at 8:30 a. m., Ruth
Lorraine Hubschell, daughter of
Louis and Hilda Hubschell.
(c)**

**KELLY—Lost, diamond ring. Reward,
\$100. Box 264 Evans av.**

**LEONARD—Lost, diamond ring. Reward,
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**LINDNER—Lost, diamond ring. Reward,
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**The Post-Dispatch
Daily Short Story**
Proving His Courage
By F. H. Sweet.

THE Colonel looked pleased.
"I think you're the man I want," he said, "and that you can do more service for the cause than by merely joining the army, as you propose. You say you cannot ride a horse, and have never fired a gun nor seen a drill, but that you can swim all day, and go 100 yards or more under water if needful. Do you know any other man who can do the same?"

"Olaf Svenson, who fishes with me, can swim as well. He is across the street now, selling some fish we brought up."

"Would he like to enter the service, too?"

"I think so. Olaf always said he'd join."

"Why haven't you joined before?"

The young fisherman hesitated, then looked squarely into the Colonel's face. "Because I haven't wanted to, sir," he answered. "I didn't see the use. It isn't my own country. And I didn't have any idea of joining today until we—I got right in front of your quarters."

"You and Olaf?"

"No, sir. Olaf's sister. Olaf don't know of my joining, yet. Olga came up with us when we bought the fish."

"If—" Well, you and Olaf report me at dark for instructions. And, oh yes, what is your name?"

"Gerdar Warck, sir."

On the corner stood a girl, apparently engaged in diligently examining the contents of a window. Gerdar went straight to her.

"Well, I have enlisted, Olga," he announced briefly, "and enlisted Olaf, too. It wasn't that was afraid, as I told you, but I didn't see the use."

The girl flashed him a startled look at the first words. Now she made a visible effort at self-control, biting her lip, with the color coming slowly to her face.

"It isn't so much to enlist," she said sharply. "The courage tells when it comes to fighting. You'll back out yet, Gerdar Warck. I've never forgot how Lars slapped your face, and you turned and hurried off into the woods."

"Lars was smaller than me, Olga, and he was an old man and drunk. It—wasn't easy for me to go into the woods that day. I had to do it—or do something I'd be sorry for afterwards."

"You ran off, and there were a hundred people looking, and they hooted," the girl said mercilessly. "Now you say you've enlisted, but it's likely for a month or two of drilling round the camp. When orders come for you to be sent to the front there'll be plenty of time to run off again."

The words were bitter, but there was something behind them which caused Gerdar to look at her quickly, only, however, to meet flashing eyes and curling lips.

"From the way the Colonel spoke I think we'll be some from work tonight," he answered slowly. "Only it isn't me and Olaf and me to talk, Olga. We never get anywhere."

The Colonel was writing when Gerdar and Olaf were ushered into his presence by an orderly. Presently he turned from his desk.

"It will be a bad night," he said. "Do you think you can reach Hell's Point through the storm and besieging vessels?"

They started. Hell's Point was over a mile down stream, and surrounded by such a network of snags and rocks and barbed wire that it was a poor chance for picking one's way even by daylight and without watchful enemies. The Colonel watched them keenly.

"There are also, without doubt, explosives placed in the river by the enemy, so let you two ready to take any charge?"

"If you will let us," they answered. "Very well. Here are two matches, exactly alike. If one of you fails, the other may succeed. You will go to the little cabin under the cliff and give the papers to a cripple you will find there. If you succeed, show a light from the cliff. I will give you a flash light that will answer."

He paused a moment, then added in an impressive voice: "The dispatch must not be seen by the enemy, of course. You must die to avoid that, if necessary."

There was little of the excitement of battle as they removed their clothing and dropped into the water, nothing but a solid wall of blackness around. This was cut by lightning flashes showing glimpses of the black bulk of silent watchdogs investing the town.

The current was in their favor, but the wind blew against them. However, it served to deaden the sound of the waves against their faces. As they neared the line of vessels they swam lightly as possible, keeping all but their faces under water. The darkness was total now. Only one of them felt, rather than saw, the dark hulls glide by. Frequently he had to sink under water as a sudden rush showed sentinel forms within a few yards.

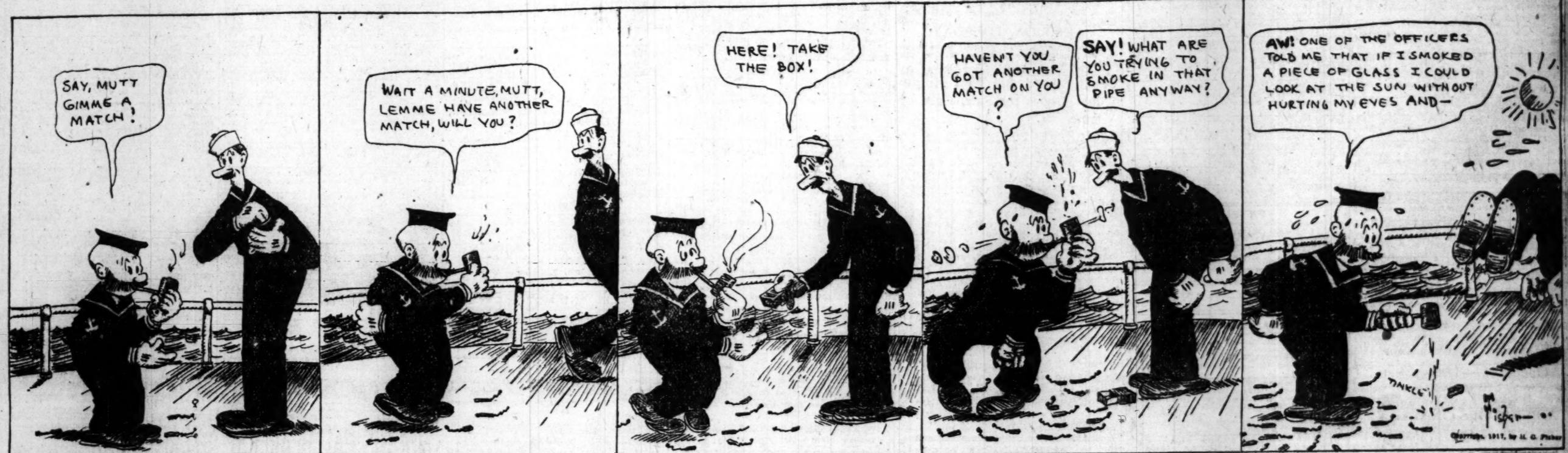
A dozen times they were at the point of being discovered, but escaped by a seeming miracle. Sometimes their hands would encounter the side of a vessel before they were aware of its vicinity. Since leaving the wharf neither had dared to speak. Once or twice Gerdar fancied from his companion's labored breathing that he was becoming exhausted. But when he put out an arm to assist, it was pushed indignantly away.

Once, as they were moving along side by side, a great light flashed upon them from the deck of a vessel close by, and a dozen stern faces met their gaze. They sank instantly, and a shower of bullets rained upon the water. Second after second passed, and a glimpse of a white face was seen several rods down the river, and was met by another pattern of bullets. At last, just right a second white face showed for an instant, and received a similar welcome. The dress of this queer-looking creature, if it could be called a dress hung in tatters about her gaunt form and looked more like frozen rage than a dress. A cold blast struck the face of

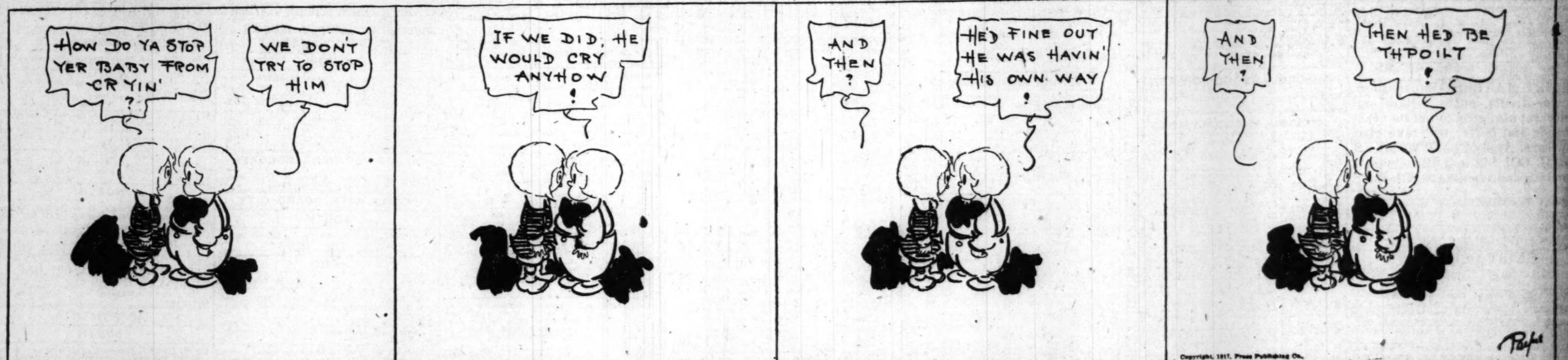


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the success of the river enterprise. In spite of its dangers he had hoped the young fishermen might succeed—had almost brought himself to believe that they would.

But as the hours went by he ceased to glance toward Hell's Point. The had failed, and the brave young men were at the bottom of the cliff.

Then suddenly, as he passed the window, he uttered an exclamation of surprise. There was a light on the cliff above Hell's Point, a flashlight whirled in odd curves—the signal. Even as it moved, a brother officer entered the room with beaming face. The two grasped hands.

Meanwhile Gerdar—alone—was being given some hasty attention by a tall man, who had forgotten his crippled condition as he moved hurriedly about the cabin. Gerdar was covered with bruises and cuts, and blood flowed freely from a dozen or more wounds. Eventually he crawled out, with little injury save the scars.

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But suddenly the little Prince felt a shiver pass over him, and he cuddled close to the beautiful lady.

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Father's Idea.

MOTHER, apprehensively: Is that the baby crying again?

Father, impatiently: "Again? Has it ever stopped?"

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

And He Said Straight.

THAT fellow's going straight to the bad."

"Which one?"

"The fellow staggering so."

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

Woman's Way.

"WHY is the word 'Finis' put at the end of a novel?"

"Oh, that is to let us know what part of the story to read first."

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

The Sandman Story for Tonight
By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

THE GRAY WITCH—Part I

ONCE upon a time there lived a King and Queen who had a little daughter brought to them by the stork one night.

They were so delighted with the baby girl that the next day the King gave a feast to all his subjects and told his servants that no one should be turned away, no matter how poorly he was dressed.

While the feast was going on a knock came at the gate of the castle, and the servant opened it; there stood a terrible-looking creature.

Her hair hung in ragged-looking strands about her gray-looking face. Her teeth were sharp and long and her eyes looked like two pieces of ice cold and gray they were.

The dress of this queer-looking creature, if it could be called a dress hung in tatters about her gaunt form and looked more like frozen rage than a dress. A cold blast struck the face of

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When the little Prince reached the window the butterfly suddenly changed into a beautiful lady with long flowing hair of sunny gold.

Her eyes were soft and blue as the Southern skies, and her face like a beautiful pink rose, so soft was her skin and so beautifully colored.

She put out her hand to the little Prince and said in a soft, low voice: "Come with me and we will find your home."

"My baby, my beautiful little Prince, has been stolen!" she cried, wringing her hands in great grief.

The King offered half his kingdom to anyone who would find her, but years went by and no one heard of the Princess.

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Where the Fighting Will Be.

SO your husband has joined the army?"

"Yes; he's been put in the Commissary Department."

"That's a safe place. He won't see any fighting there."

"Why won't he? It'll be up to him to discharge the cooks, won't it?"

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